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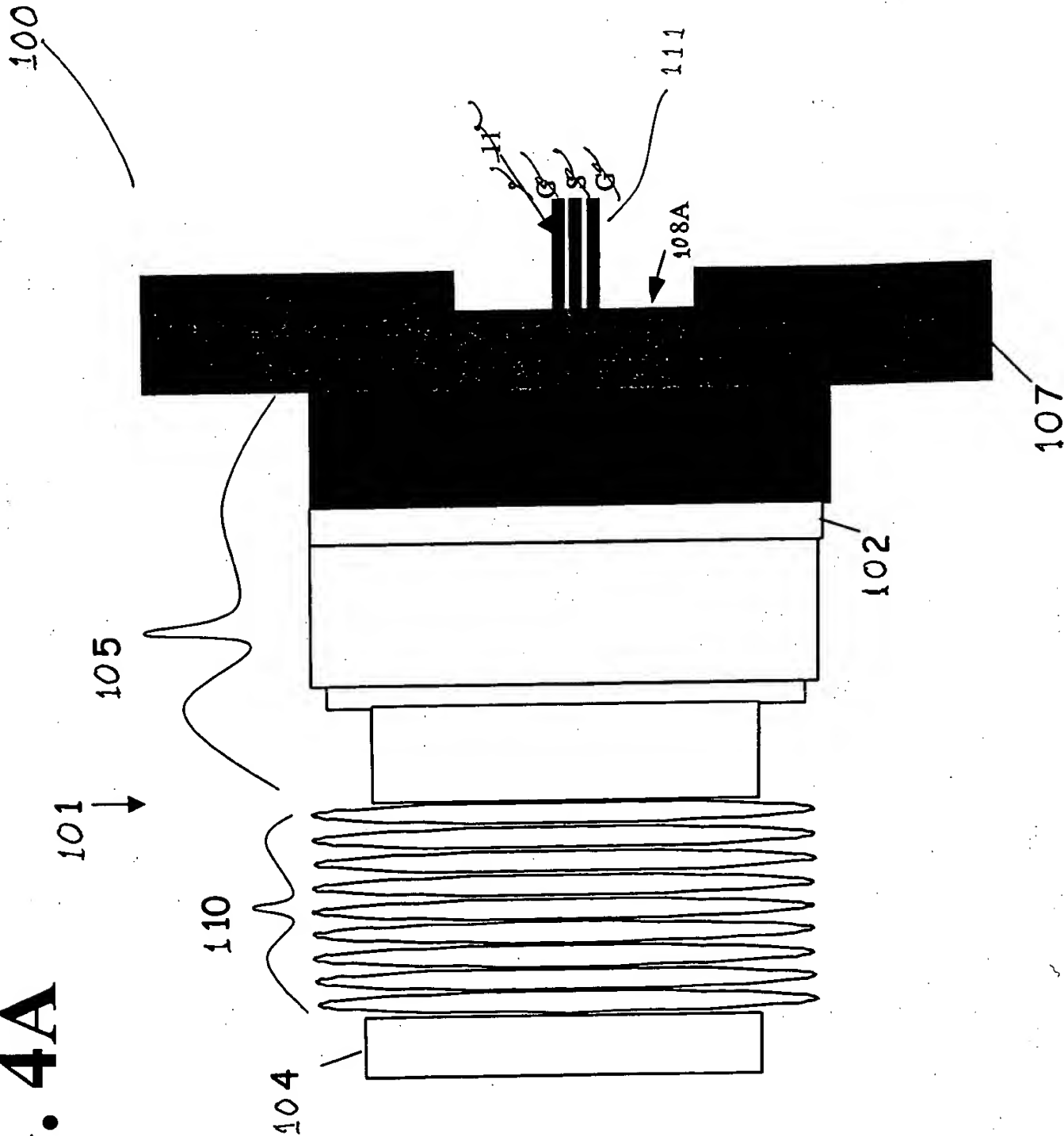
**AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS**

The attached sheets of drawings include changes to FIG. 4A, 4B, 5, 6A, 6B, 6C, 7, 8, 9, 10A, 10B, 11, 12, 13, and 14. These sheets replace the original filed sheets including the above figures.

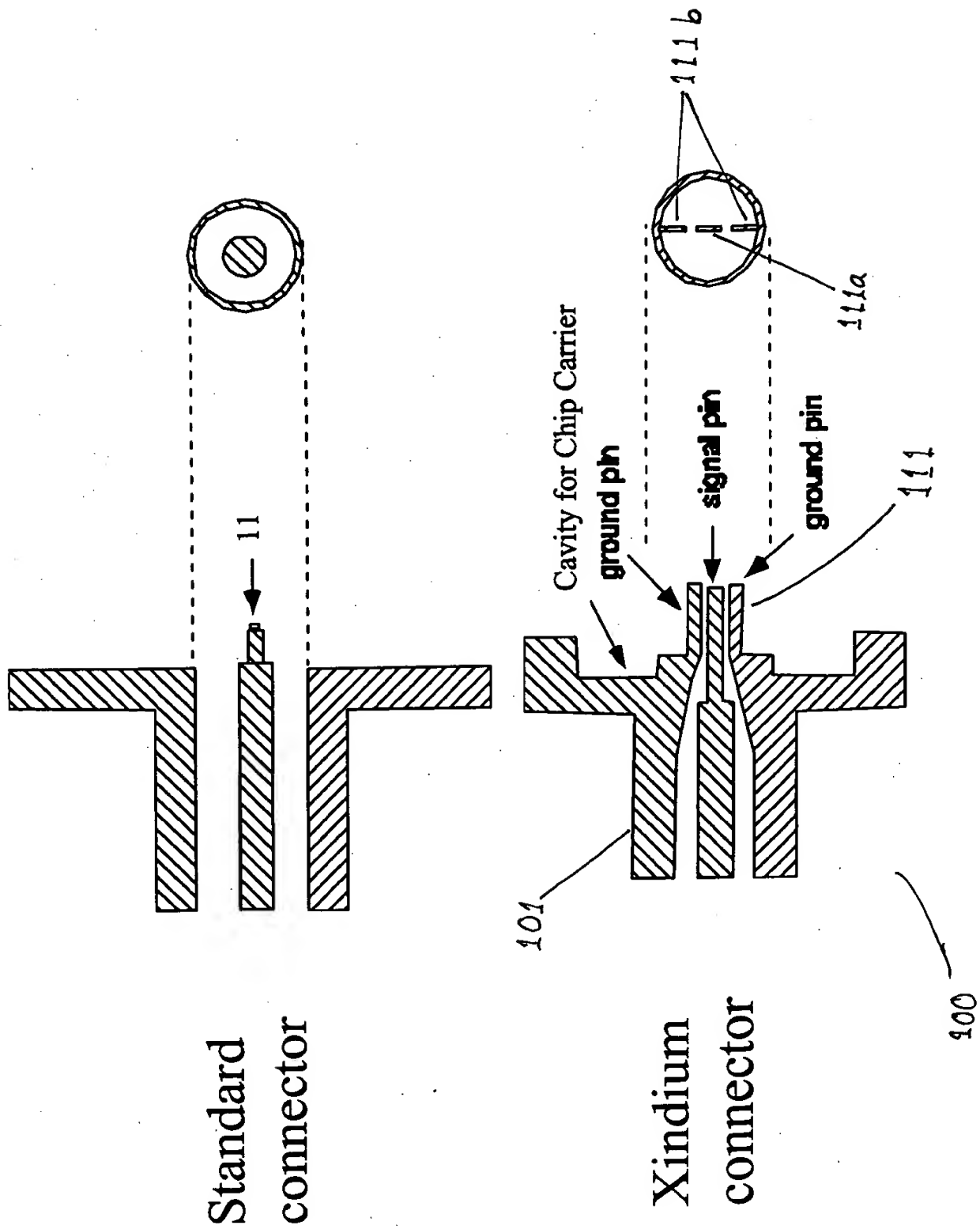
Attachment: Replacement Sheet  
Annotated Sheet Showing Changes



FIG. 4A



# FIG. 4B



# FIG. 5

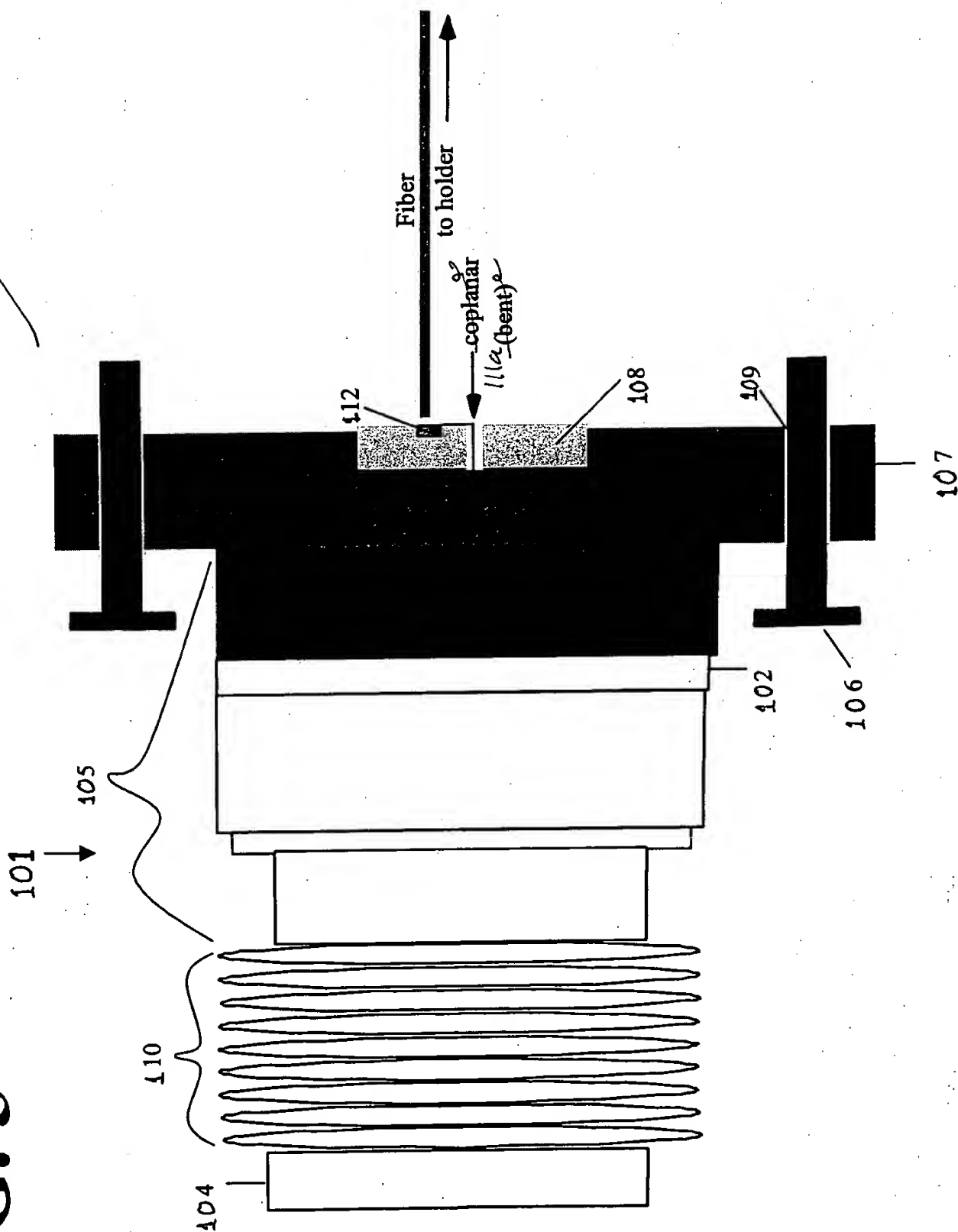
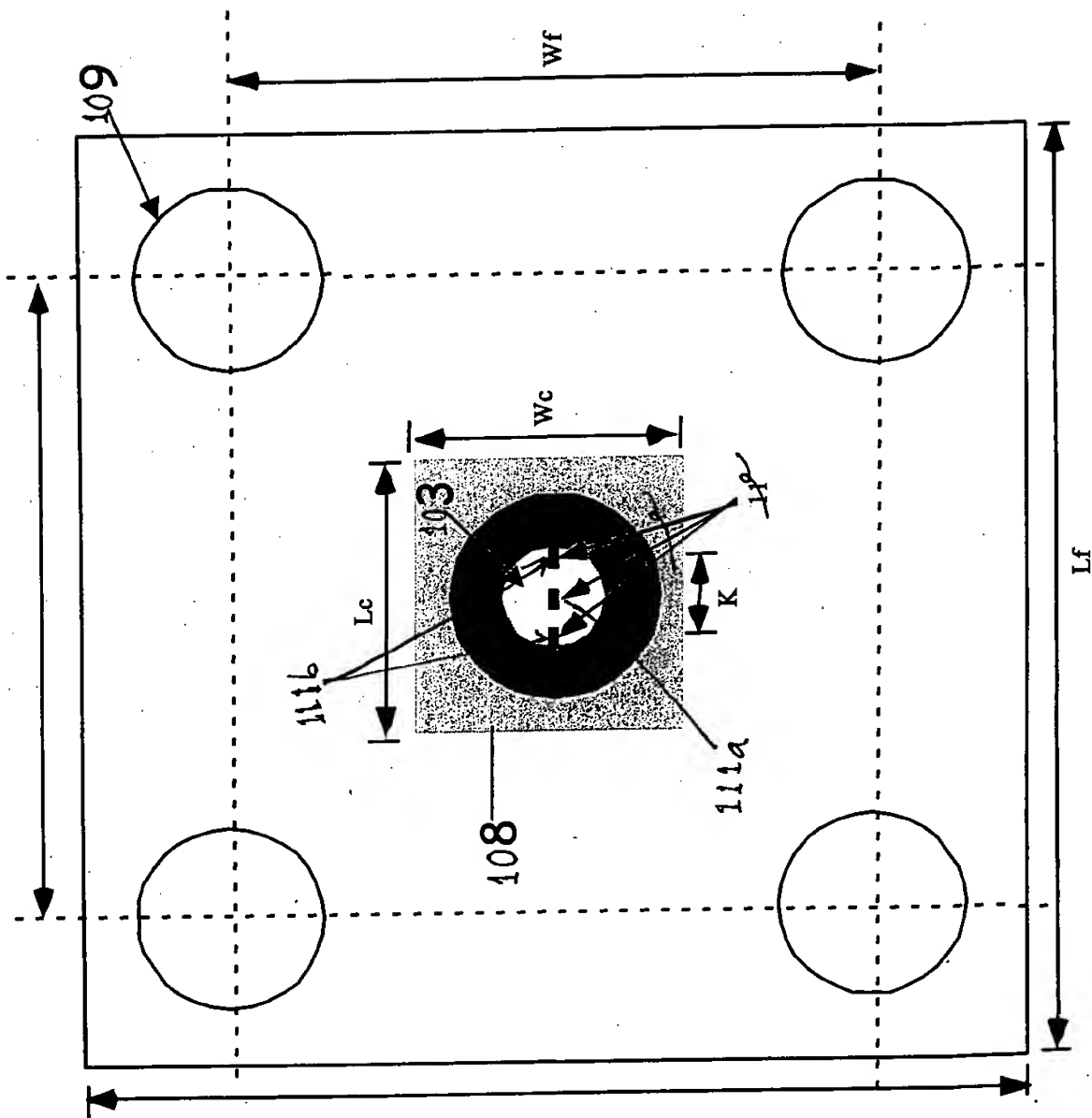


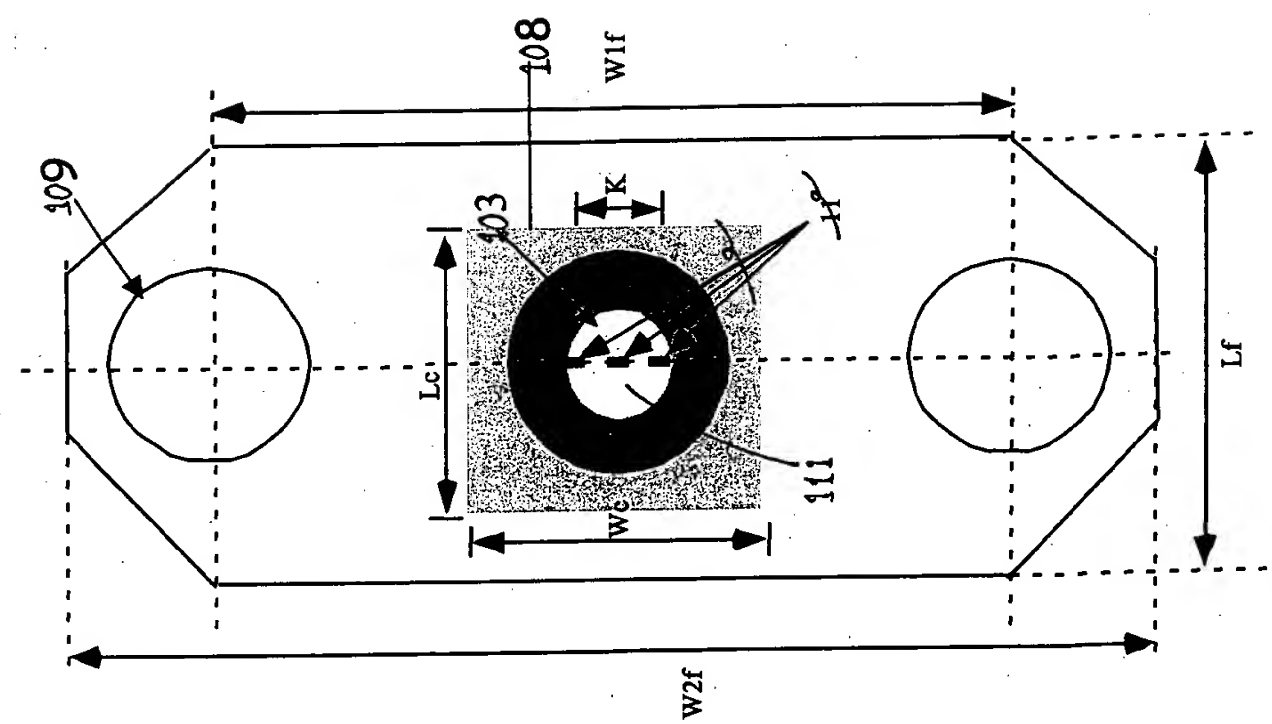
FIG. 6A

ANNOTATED SHEET SHOWING CHANGES



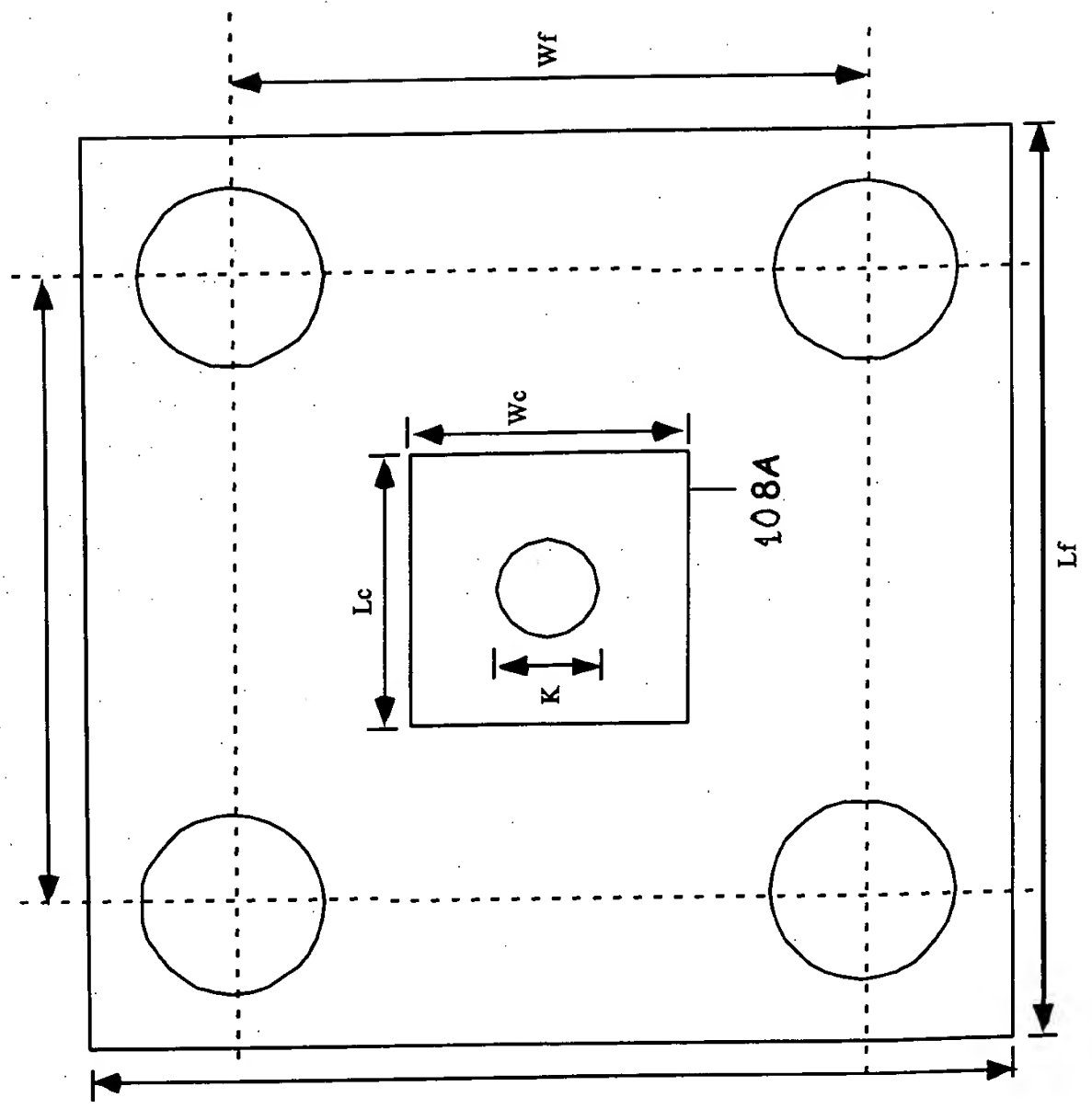
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FIG. 6B



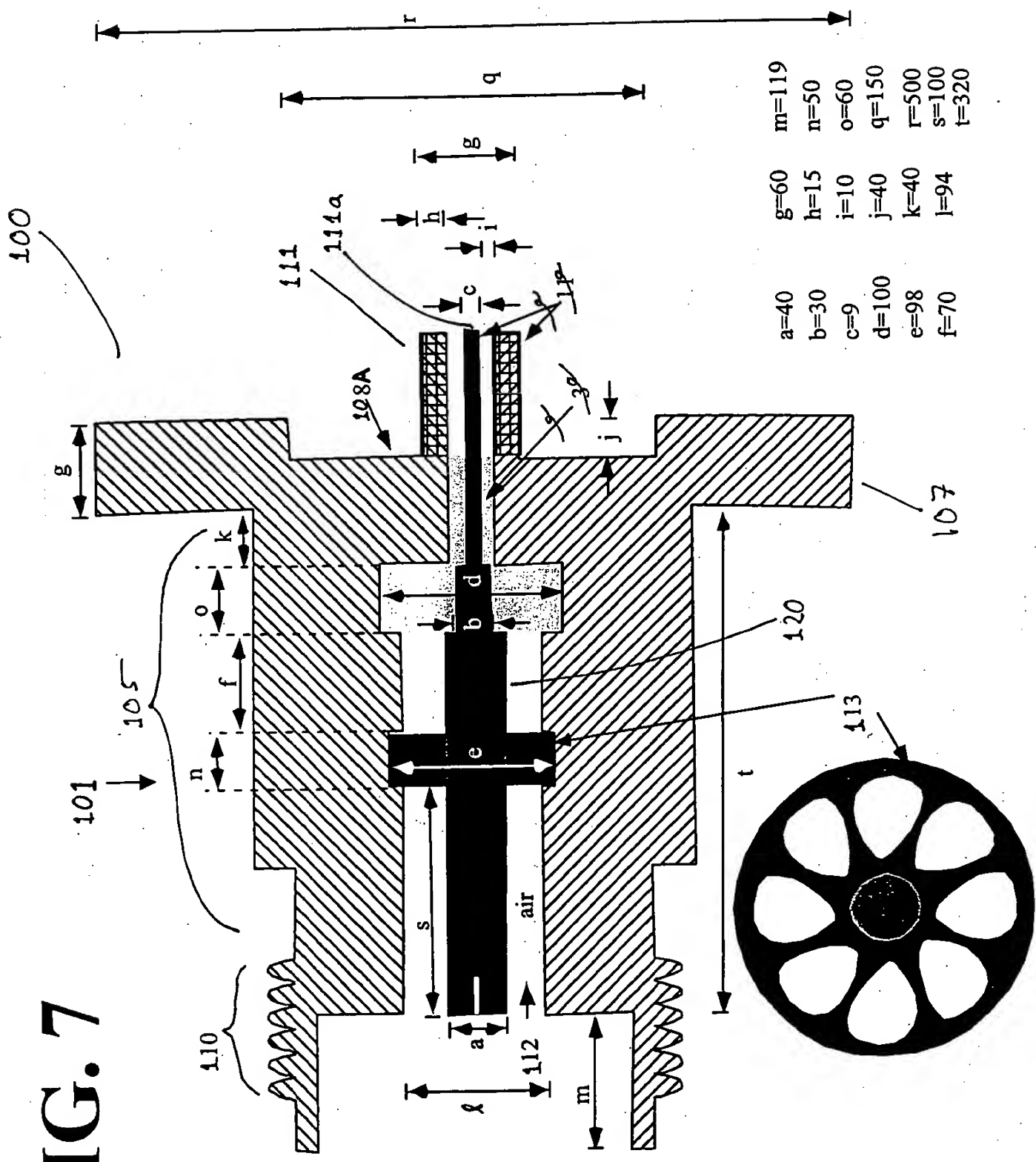
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FIG. 6C



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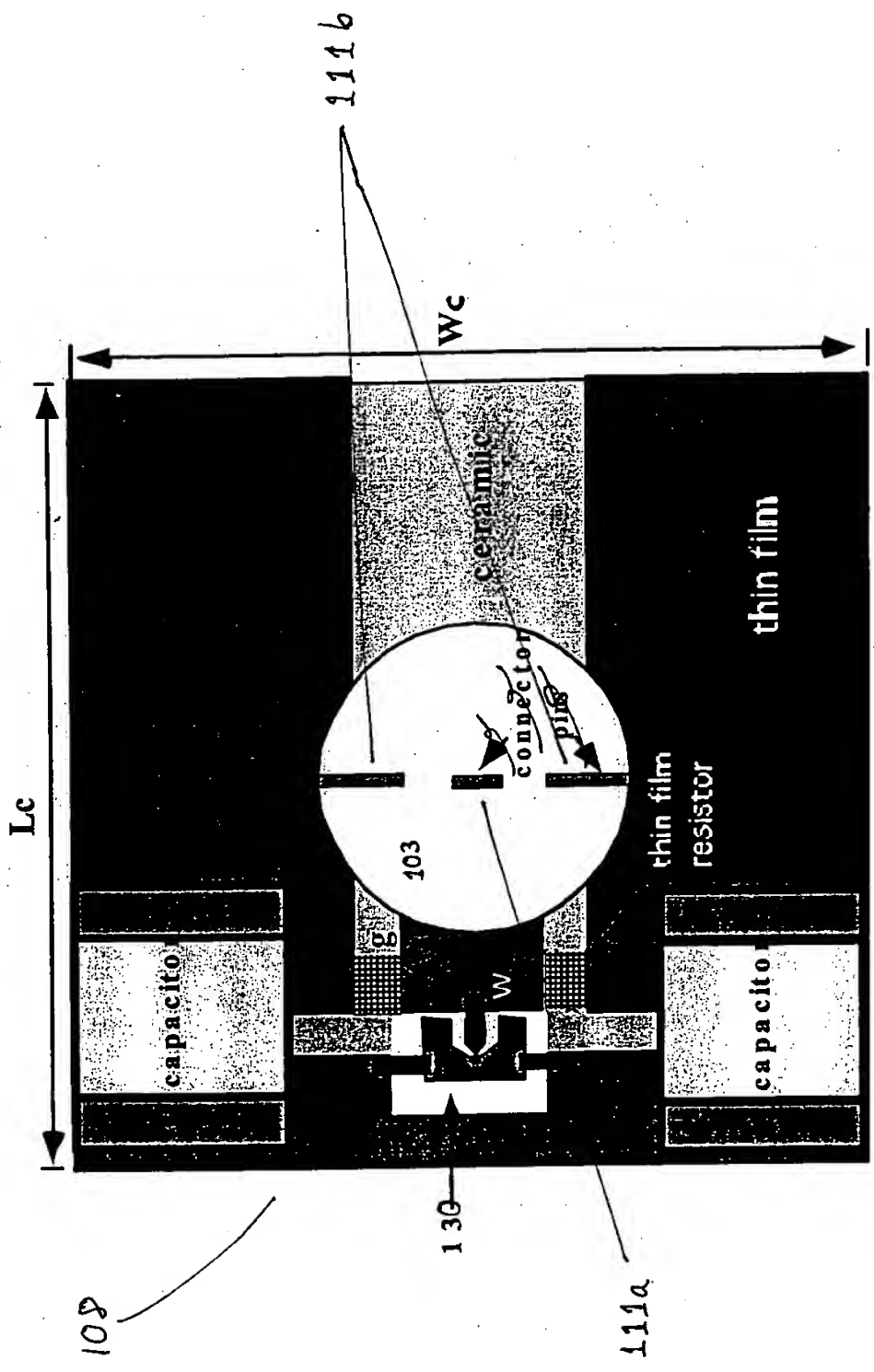
FIG. 7





ANNOTATED SHEET SHOWING CHANGES

FIG. 8



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FIG. 9

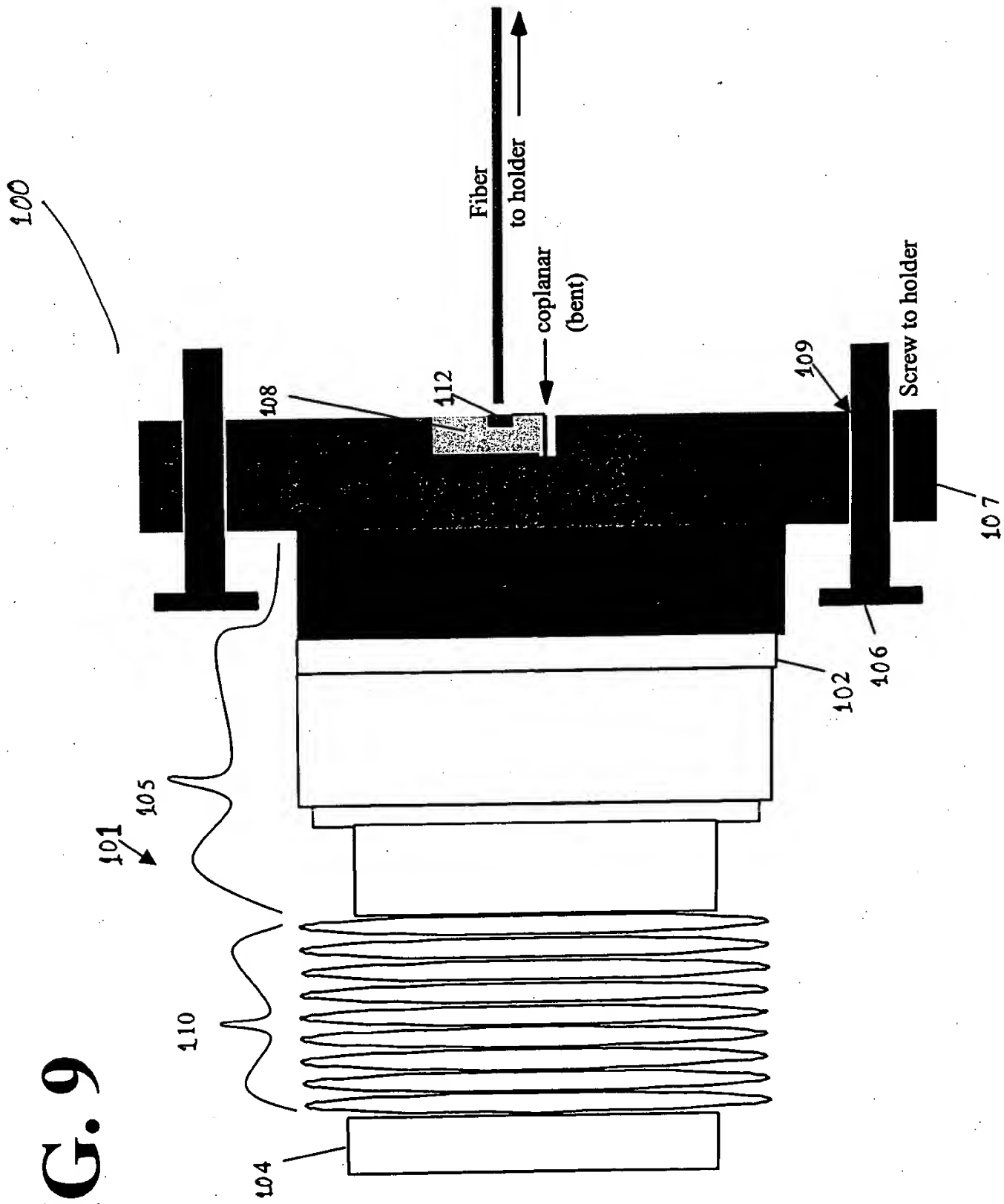


FIG. 10B

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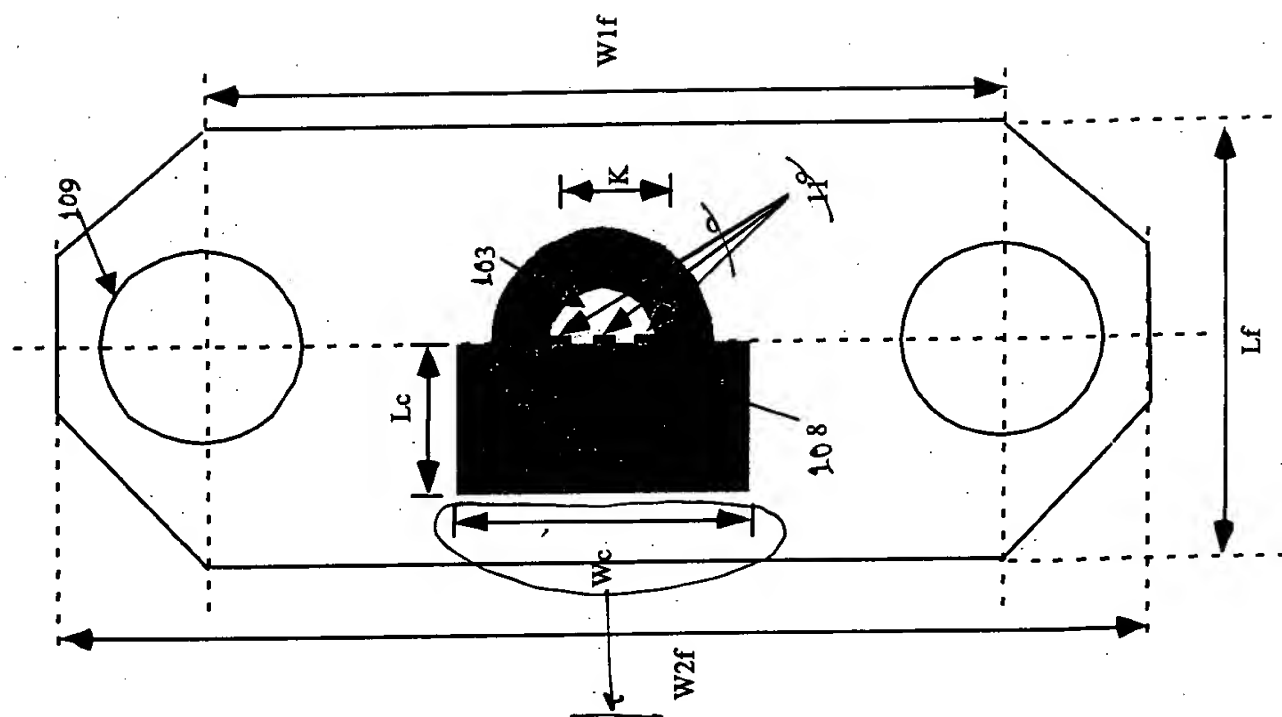


FIG. 11

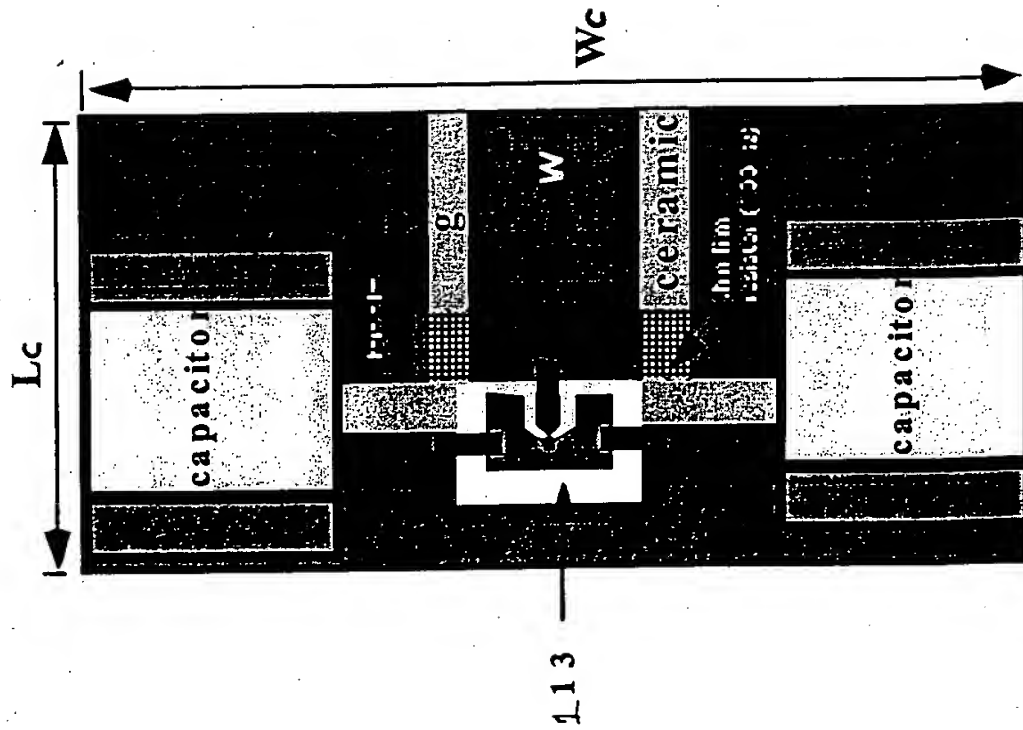


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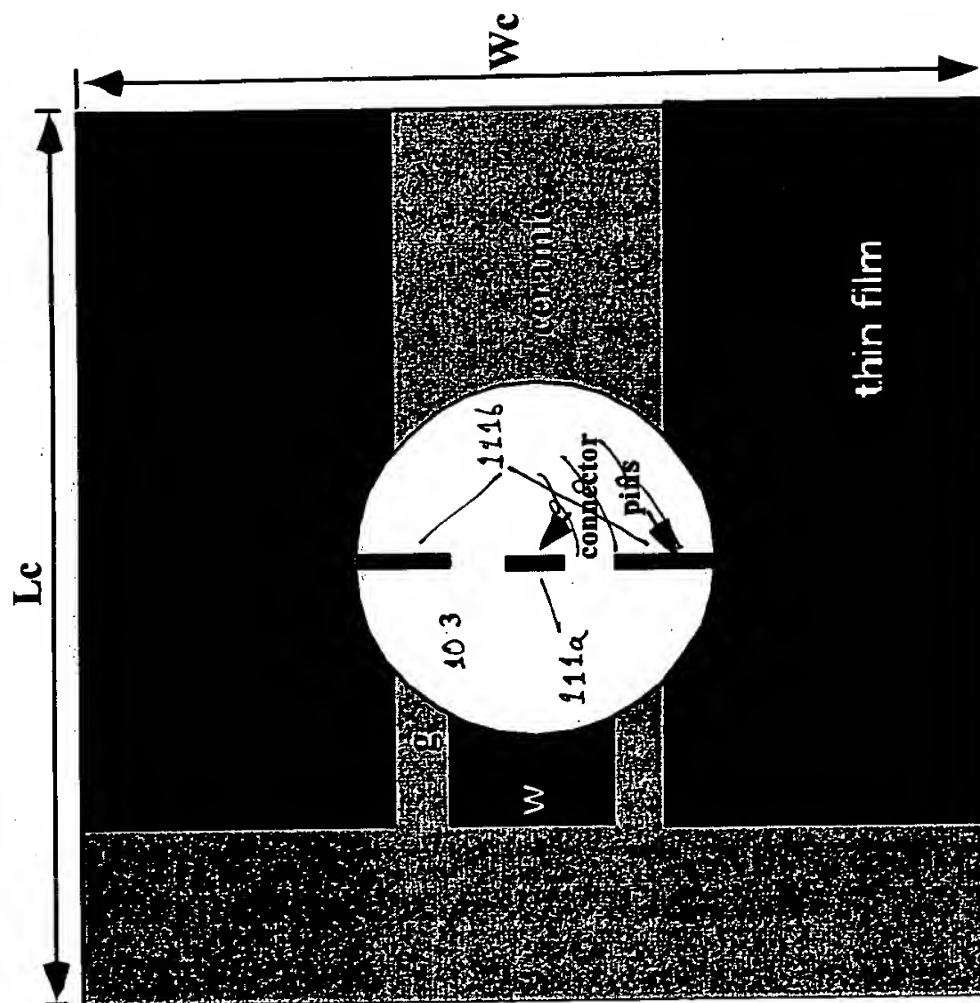
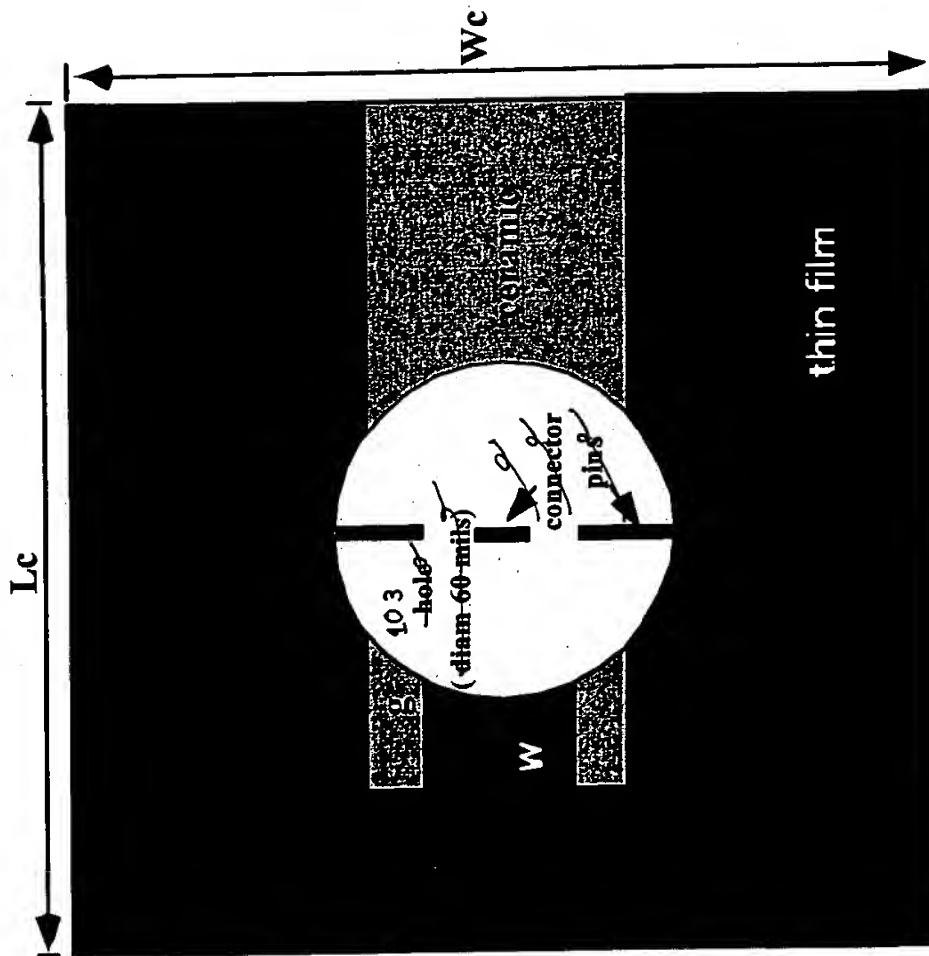


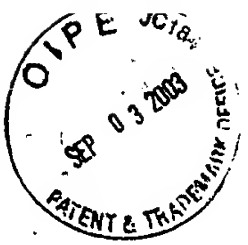
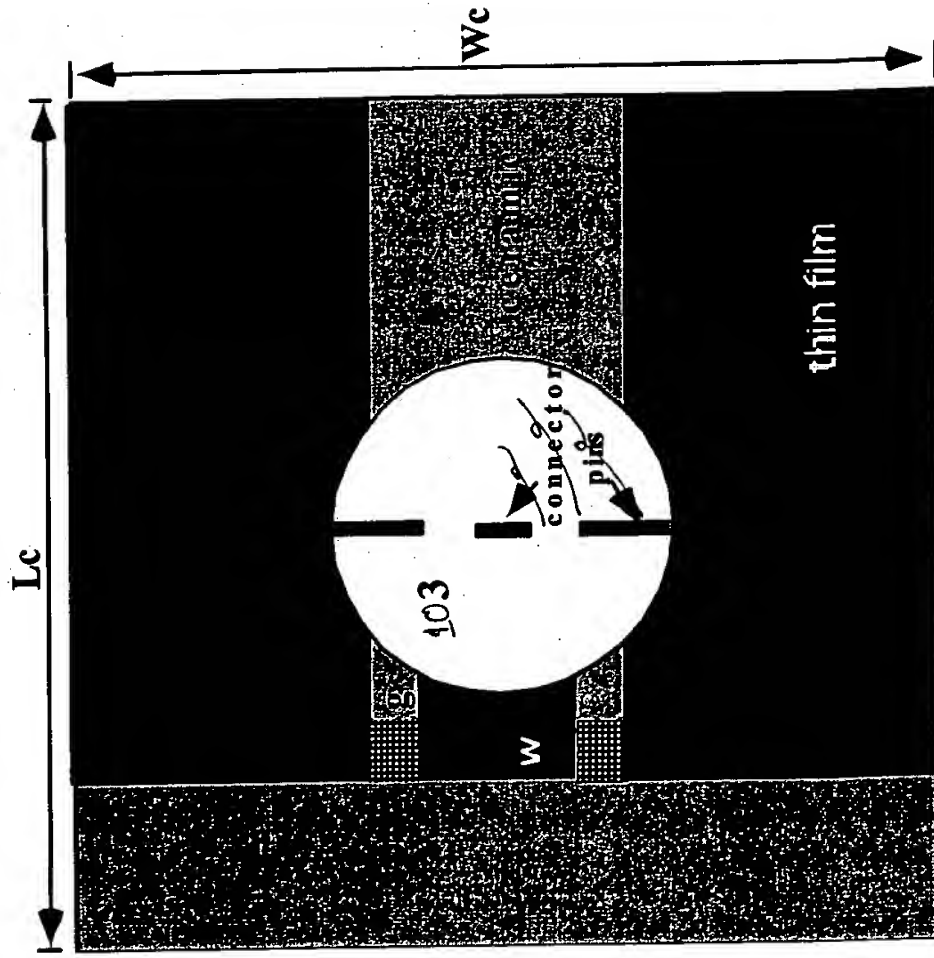
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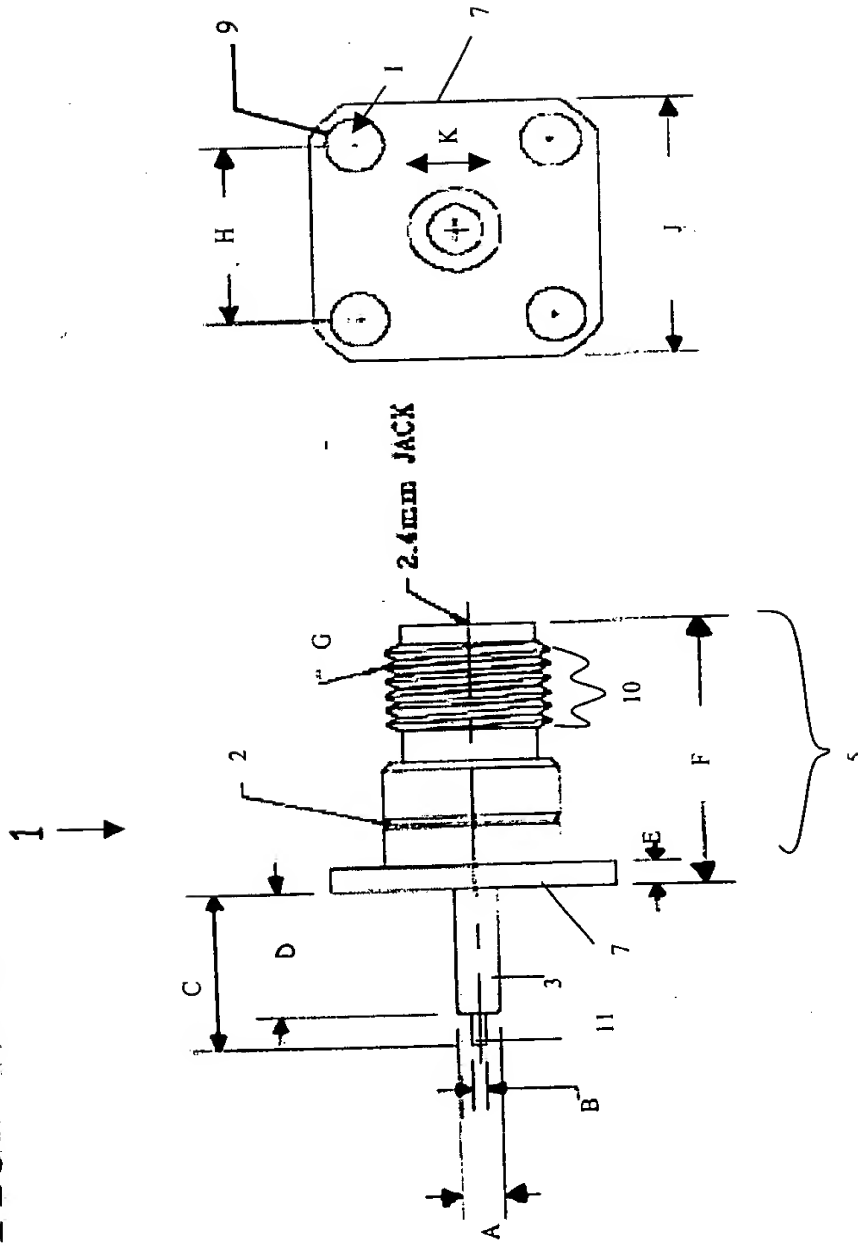


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FIG. 14

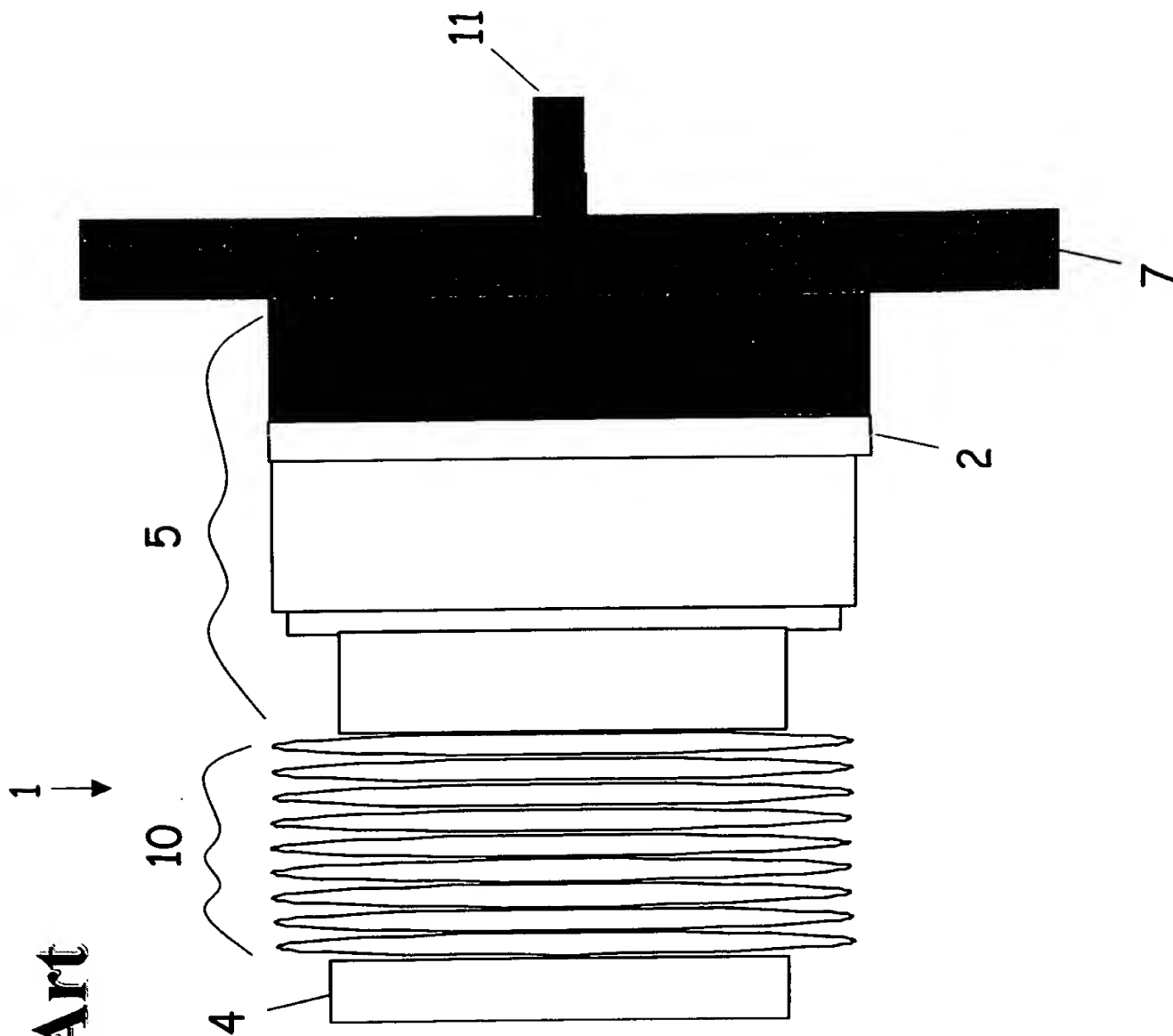


**FIG. 1**  
**Prior Art**

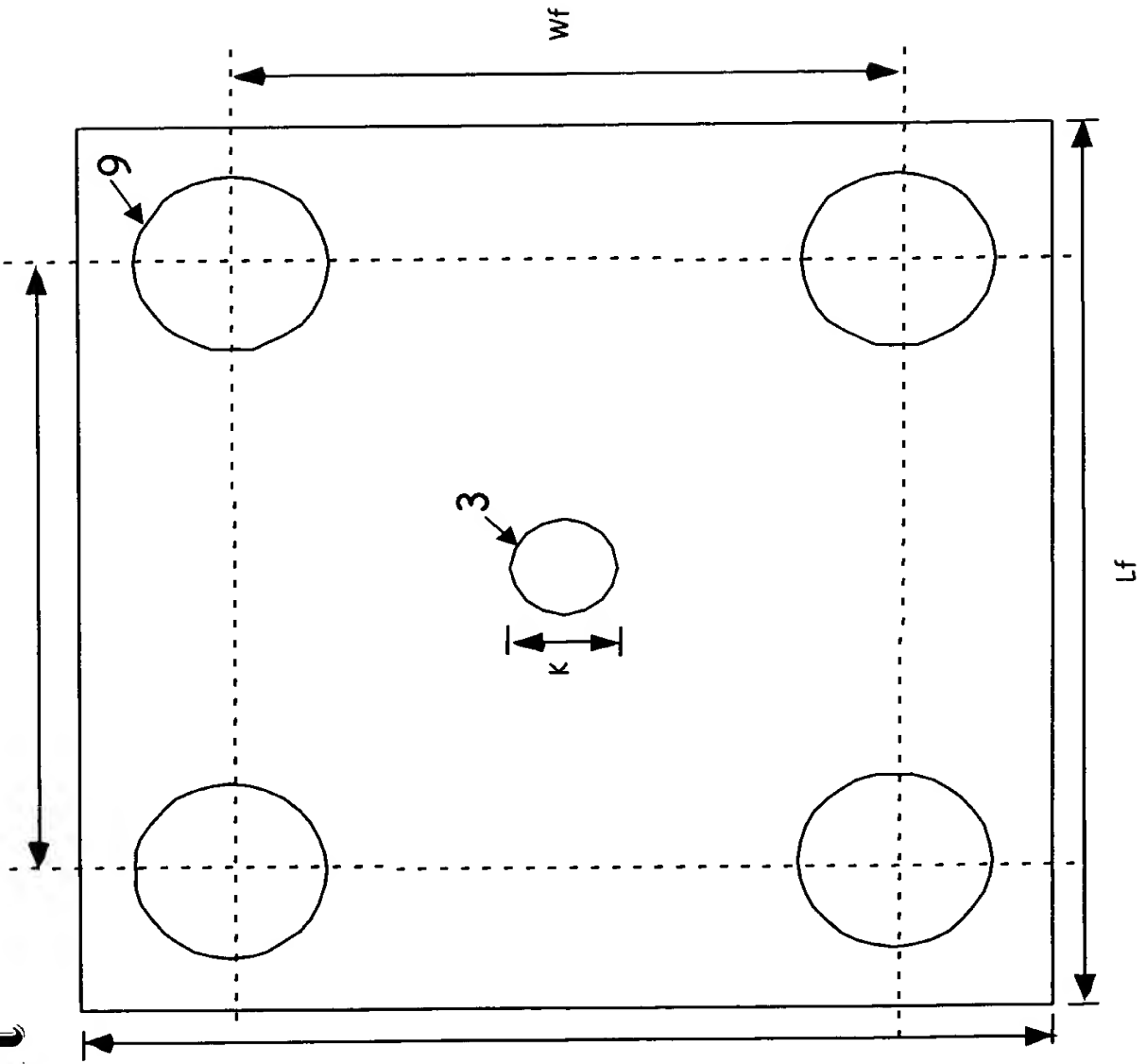




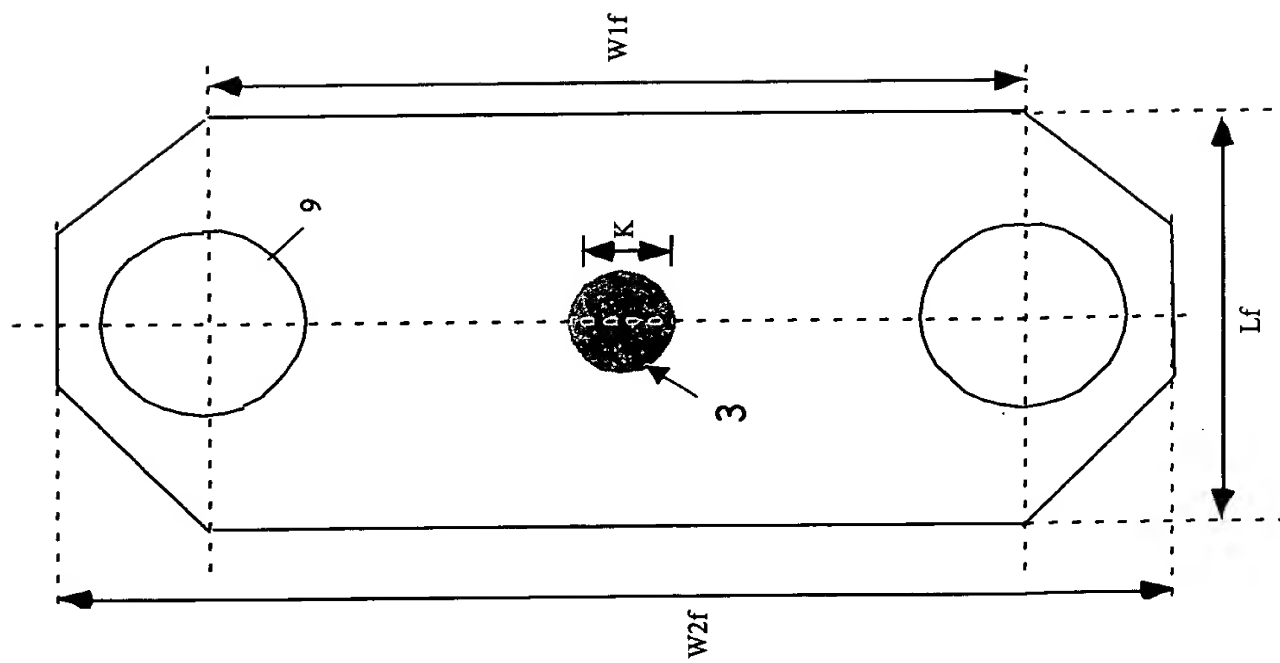
**FIG 2**  
**Prior Art**



**FIG. 3A**  
**Prior Art**

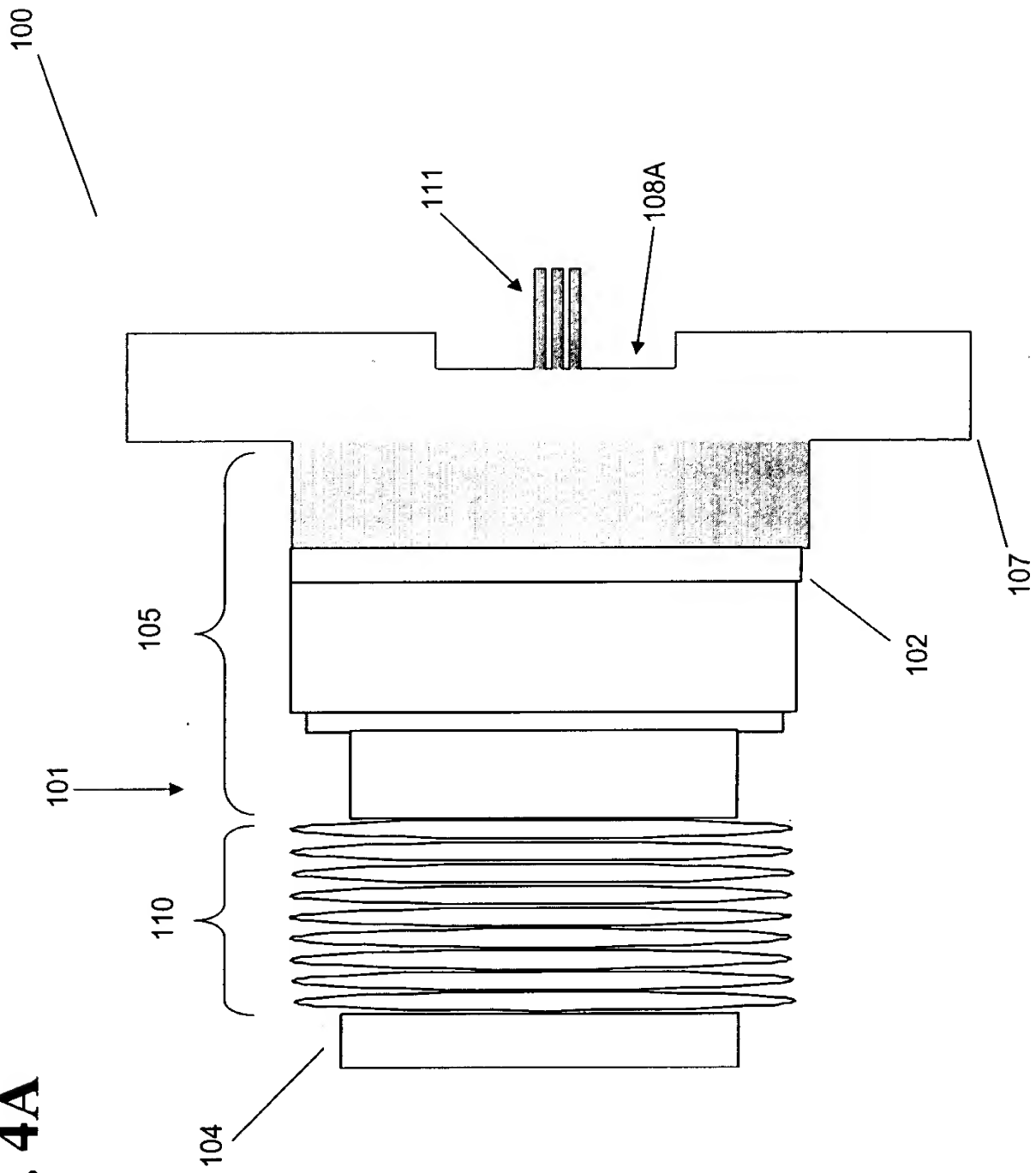


**FIG. 3B**  
**Prior Art**



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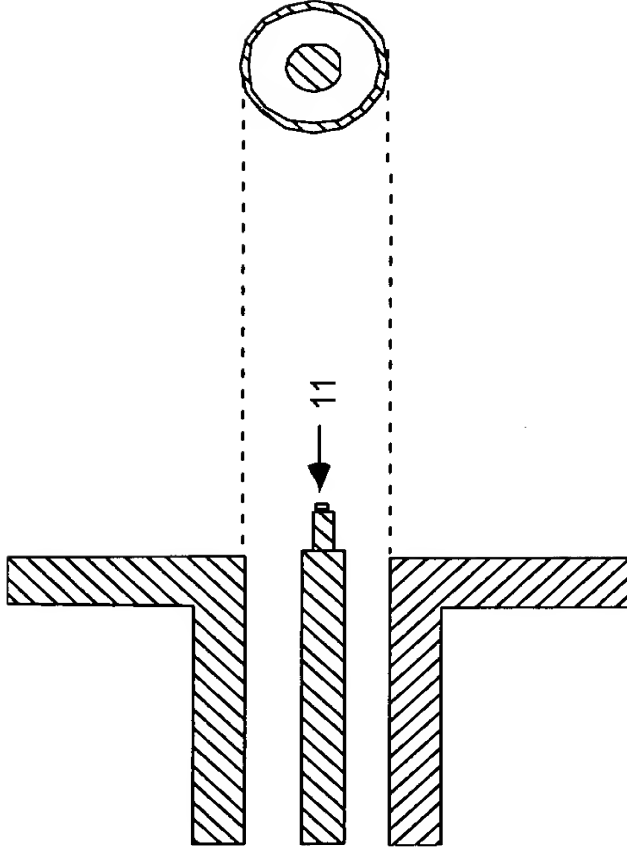
FIG. 4A



Replacement Sheet

FIG. 4B

Standard  
connector



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connector

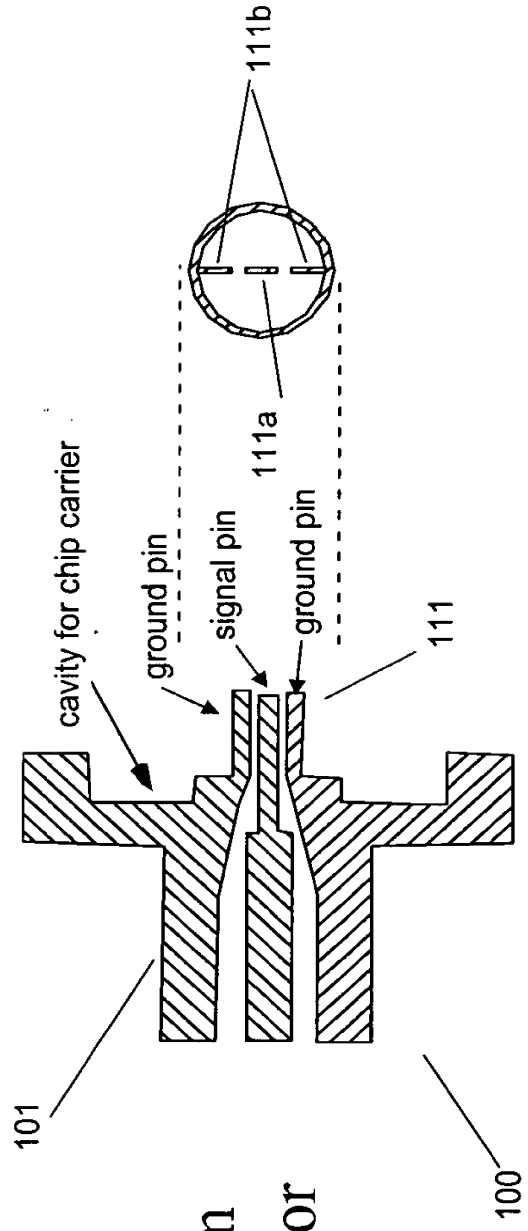
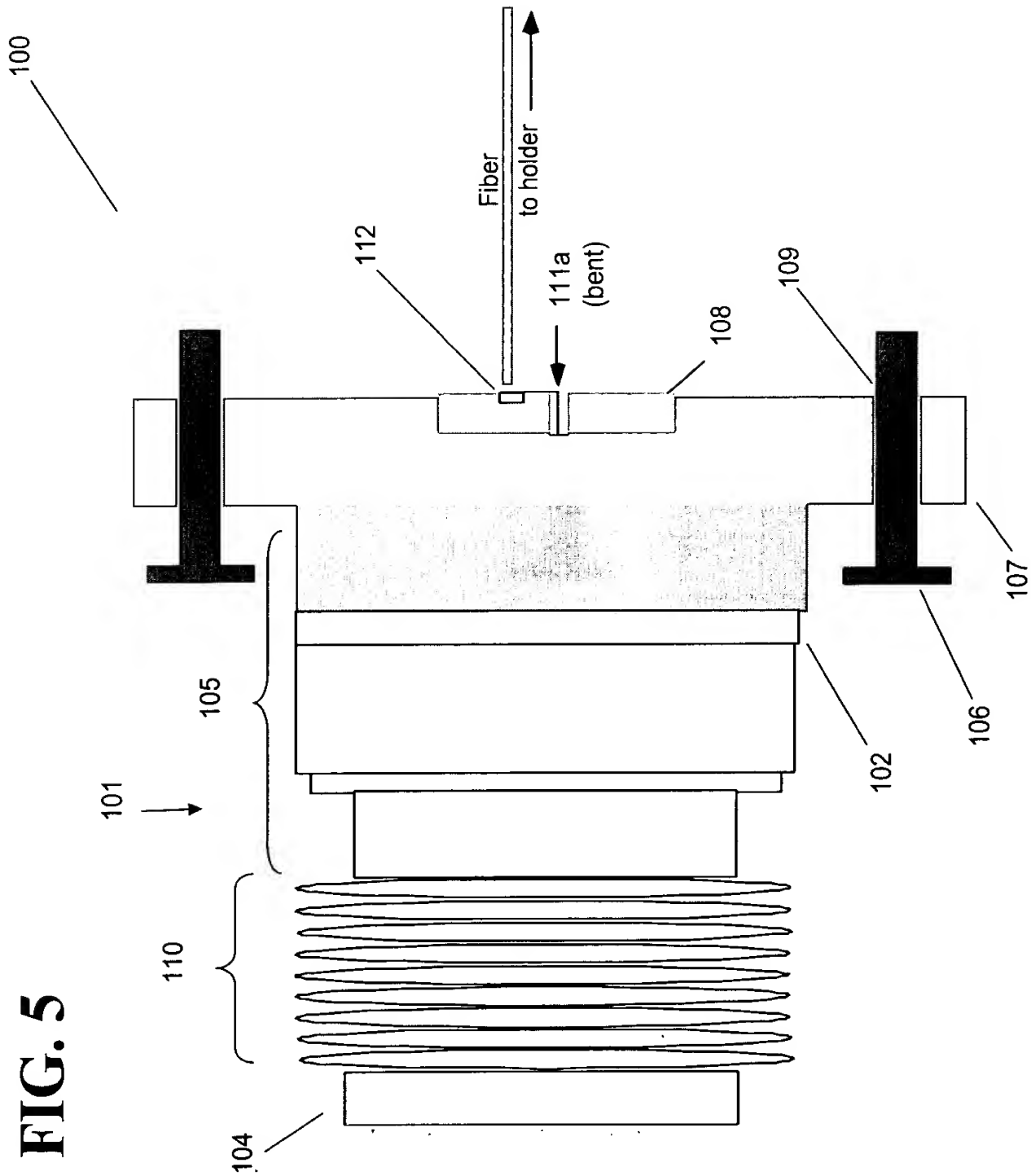


FIG. 5



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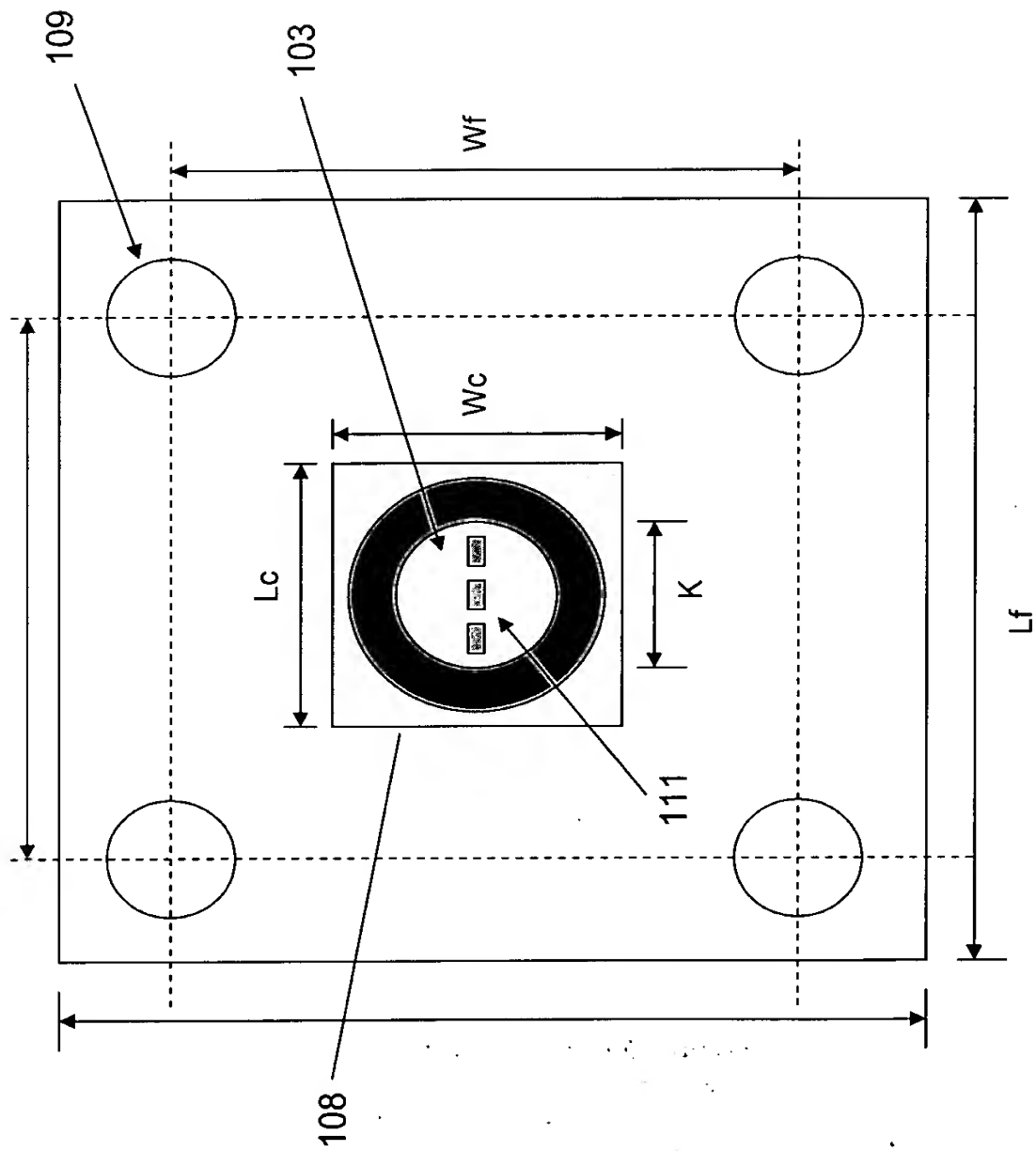


FIG. 6A

Replacement Sheet

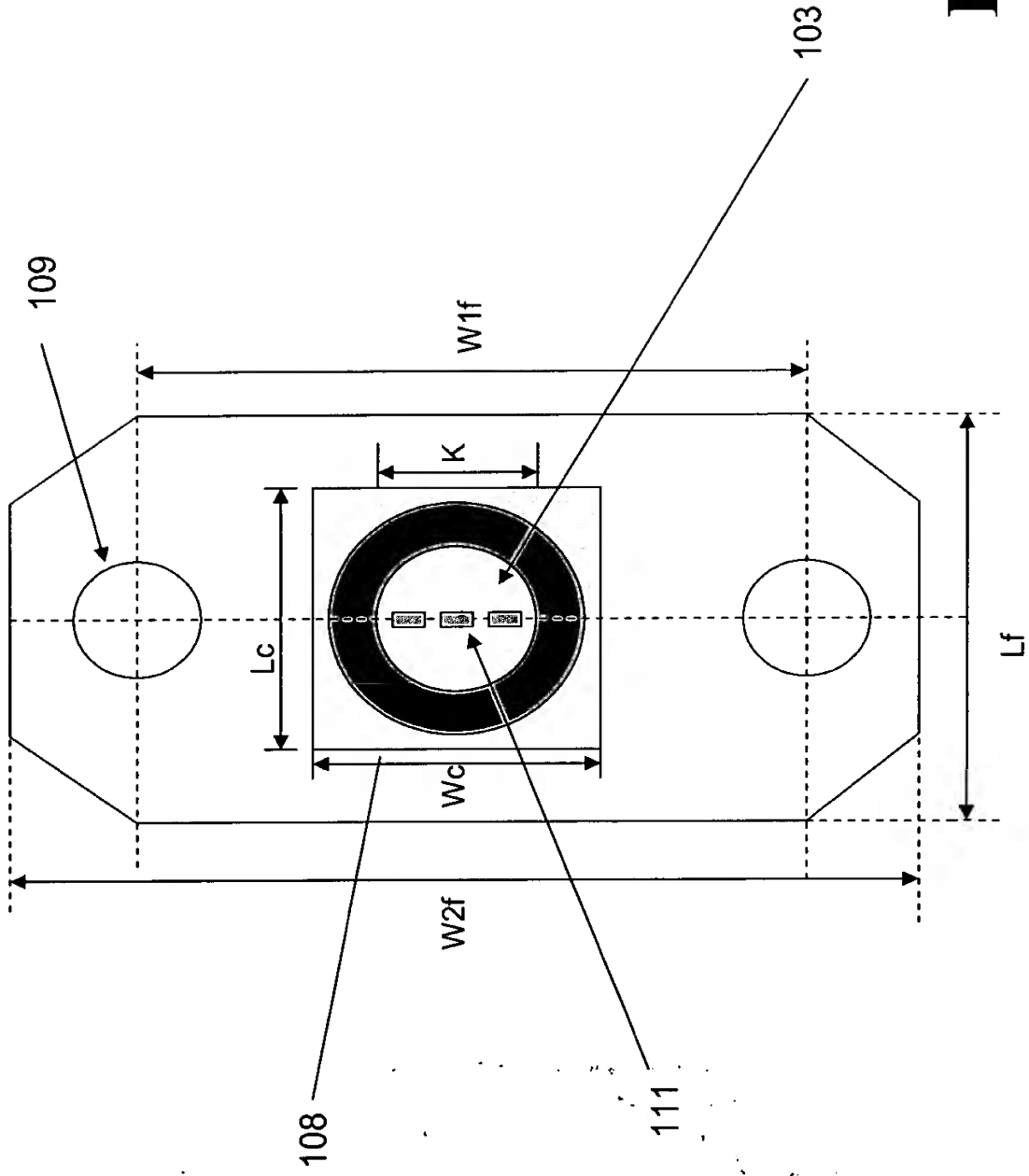


FIG. 6B



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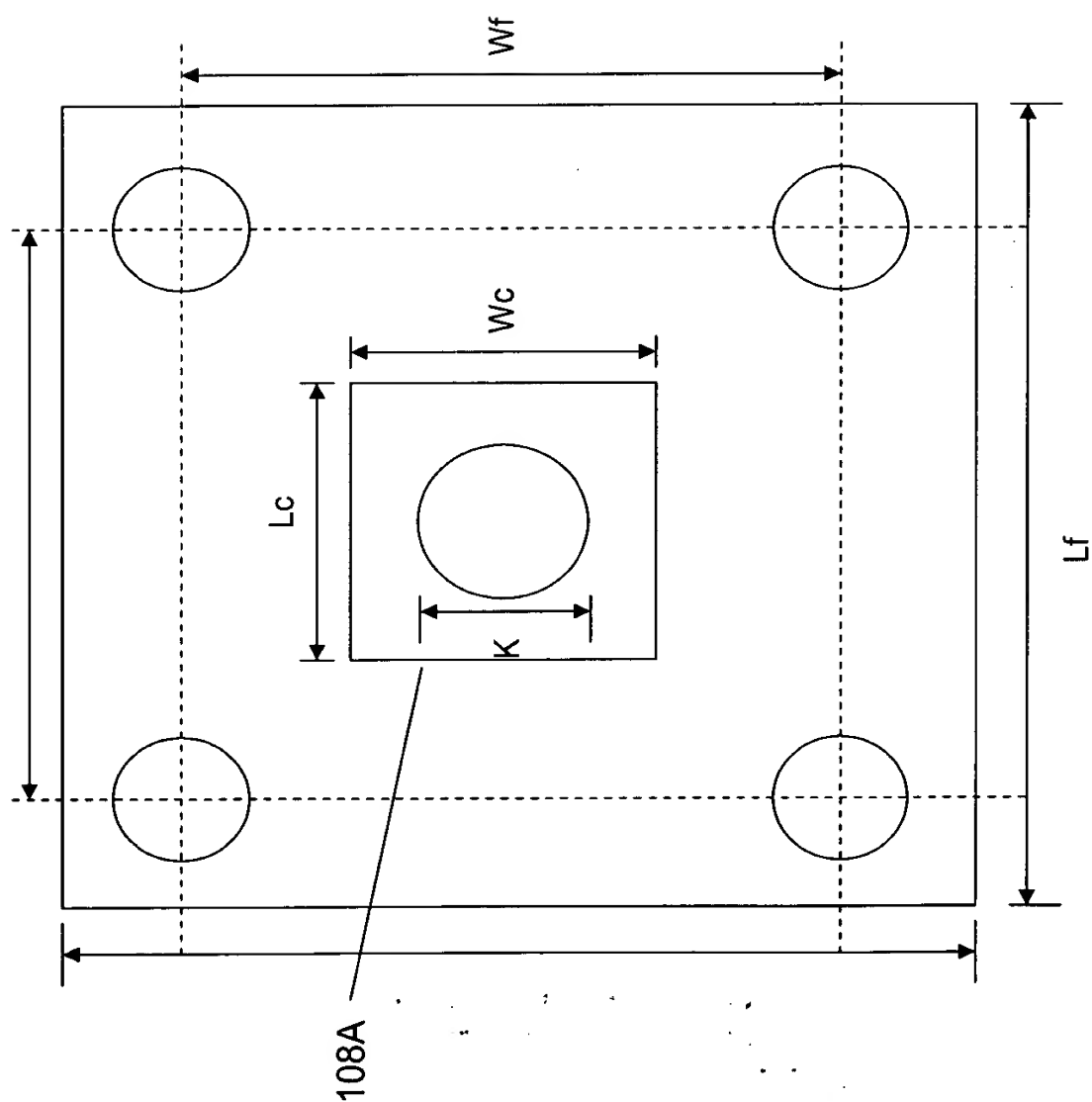
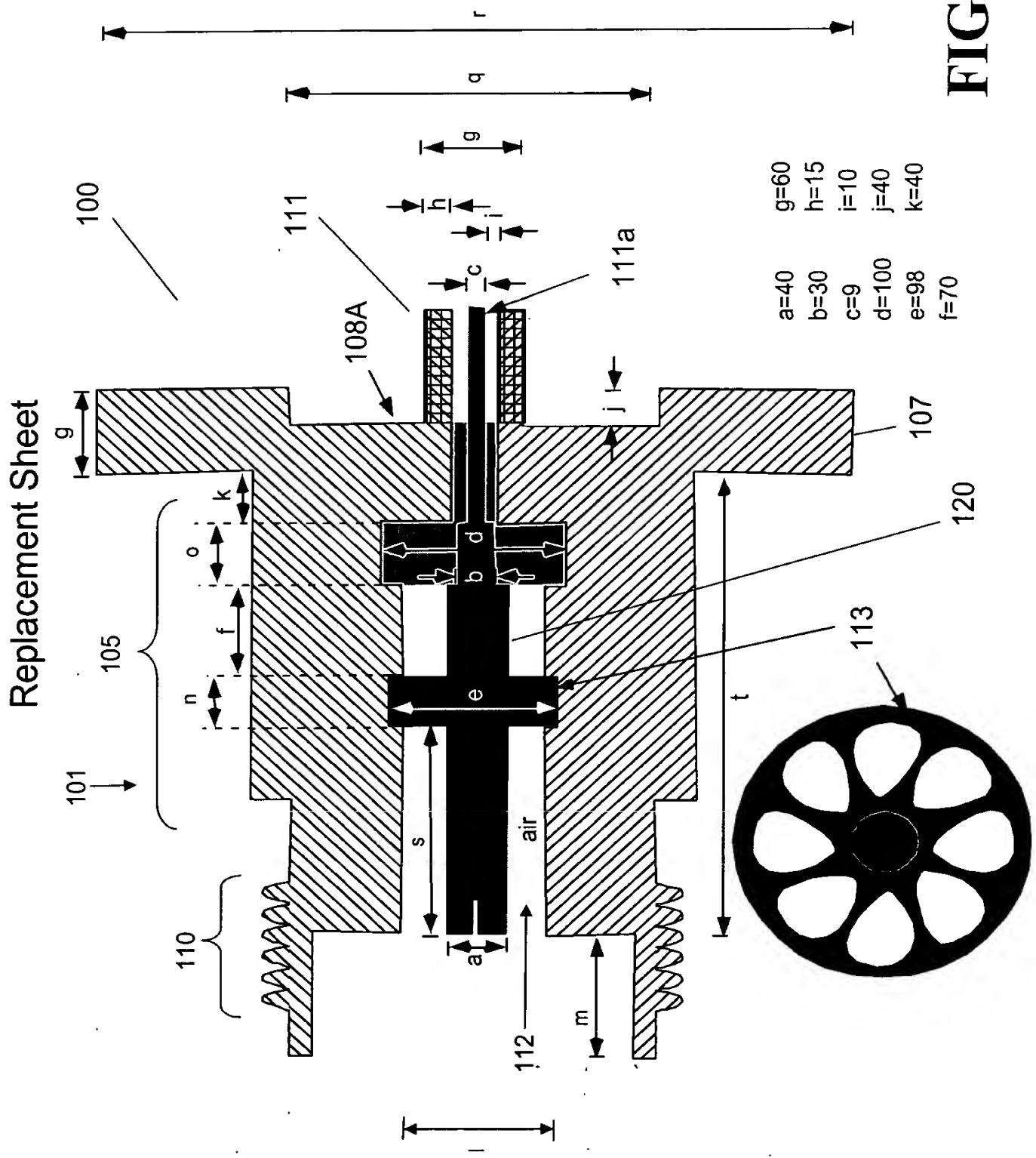


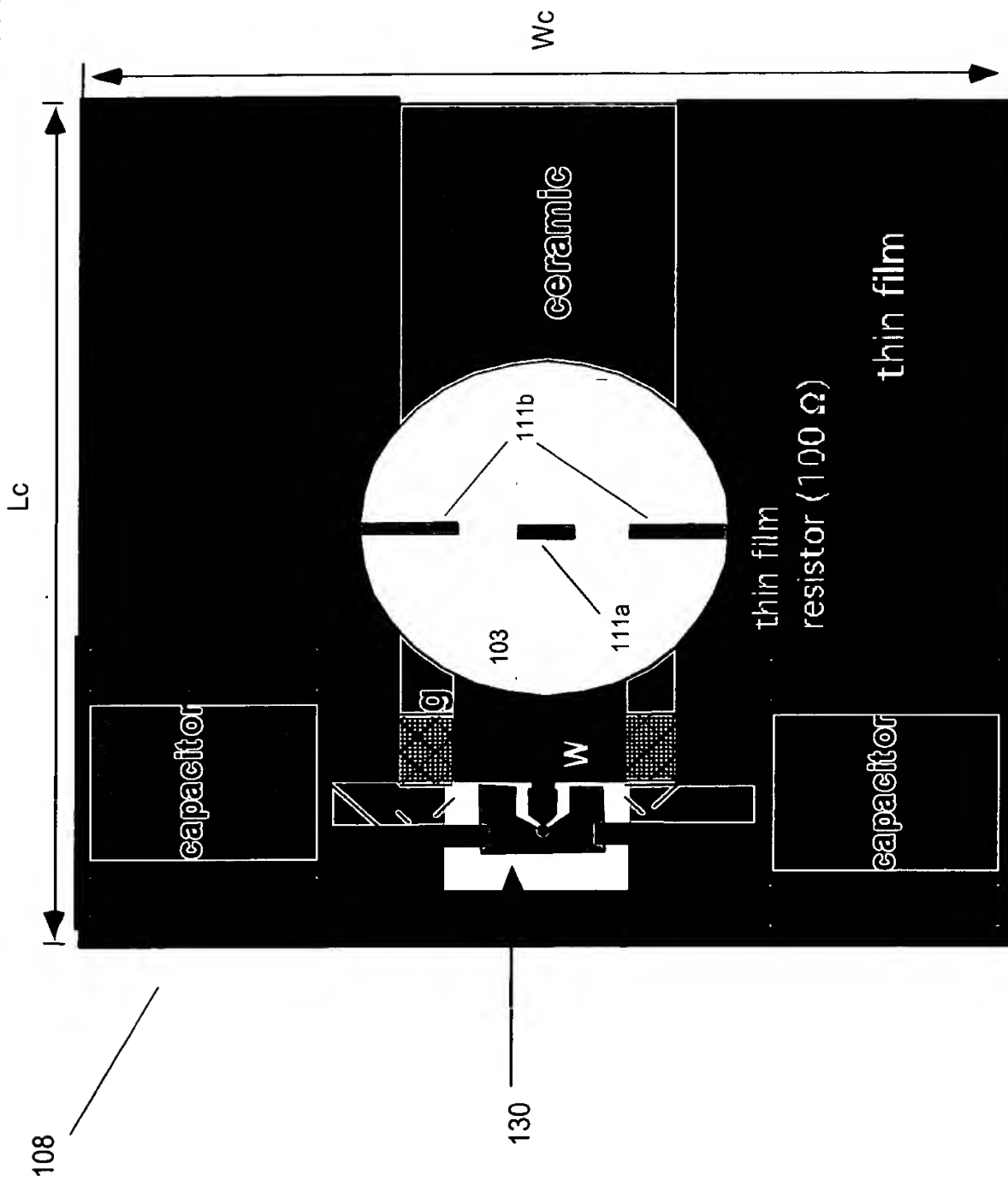
FIG. 6C

FIG. 7



Replacement Sheet

FIG. 8



Replacement Sheet

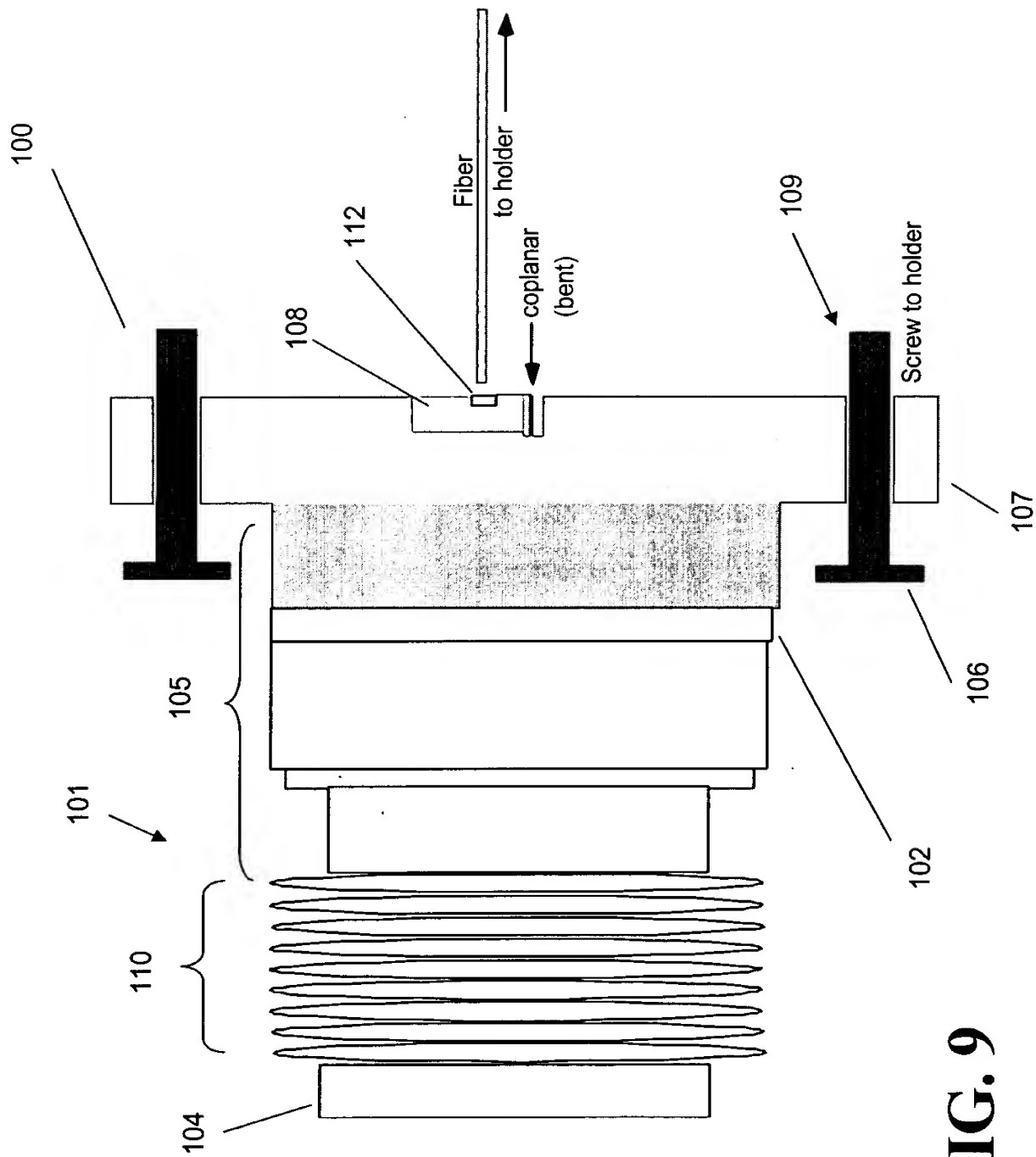
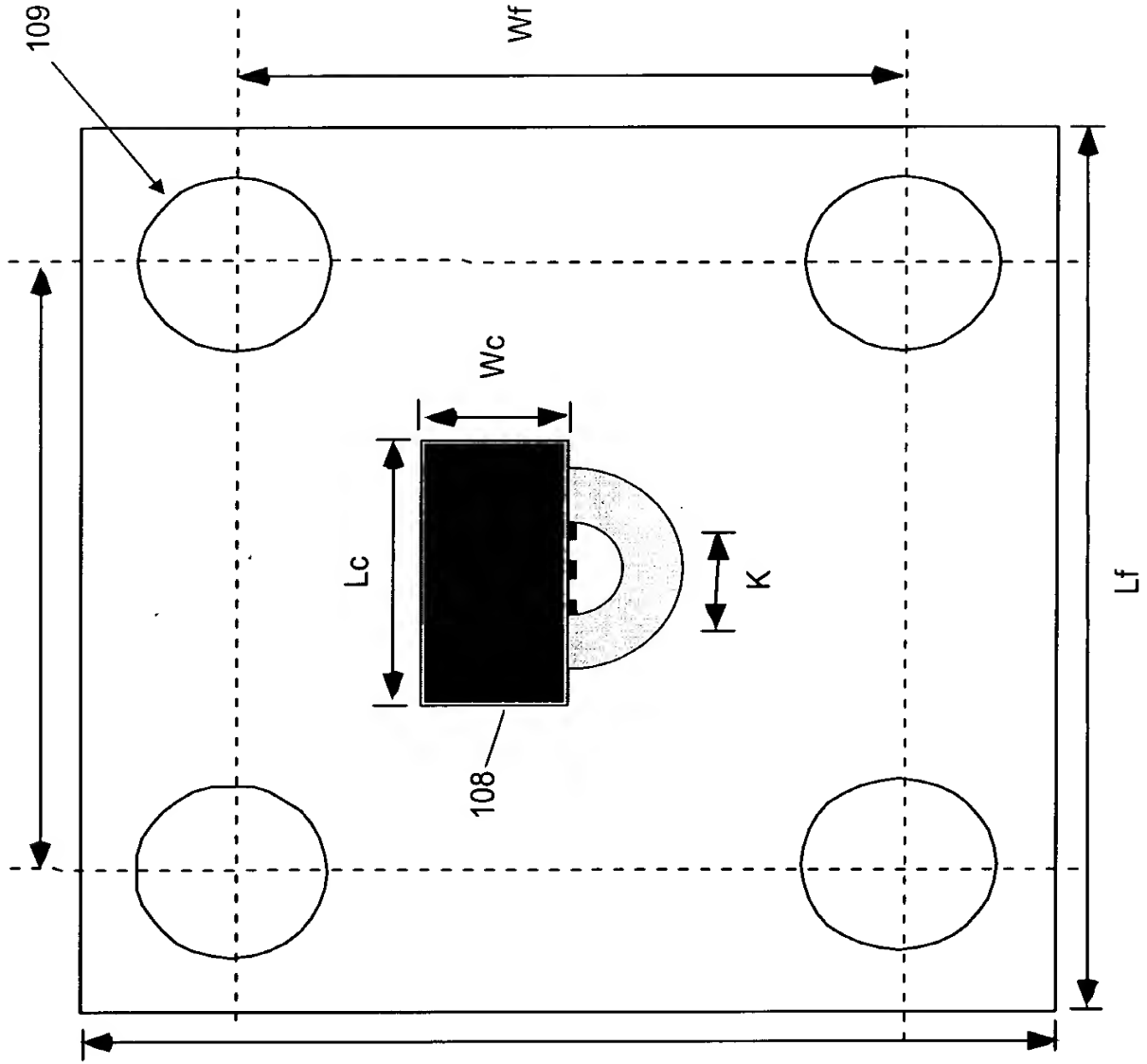


FIG. 9

Replacement Sheet

FIG. 10A



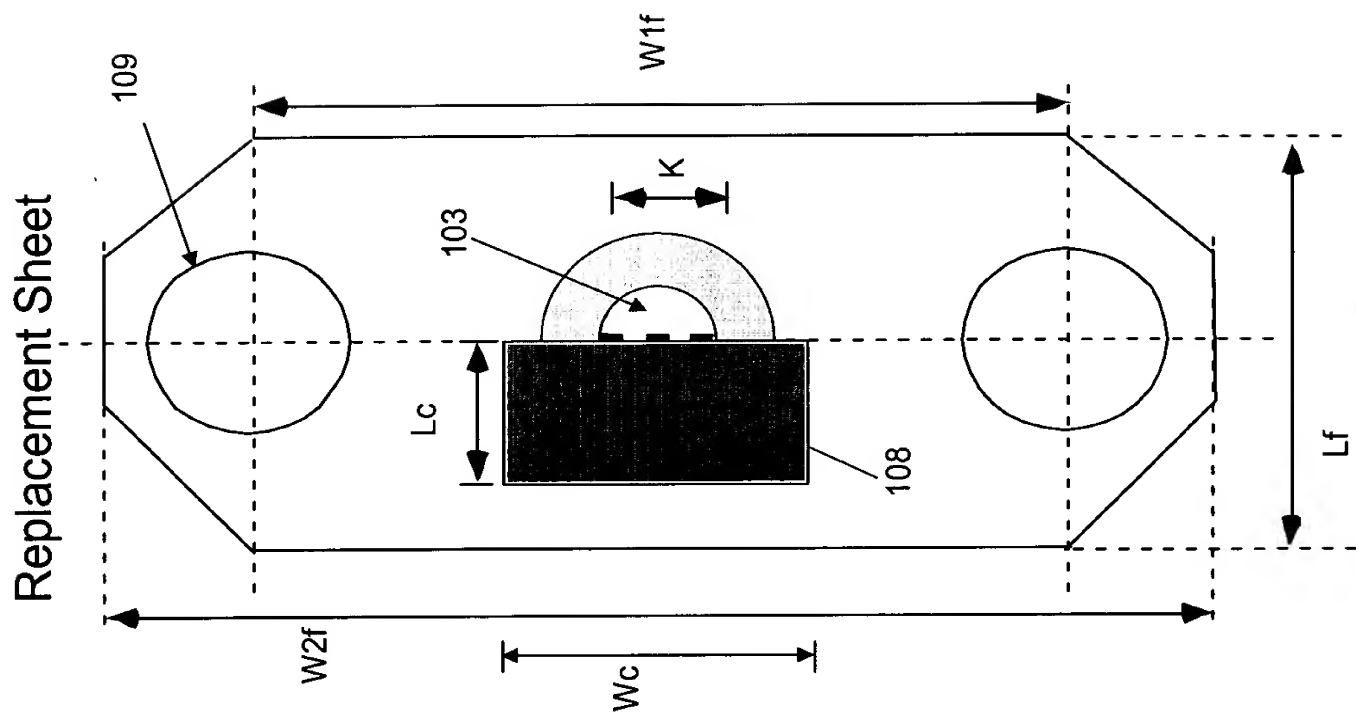
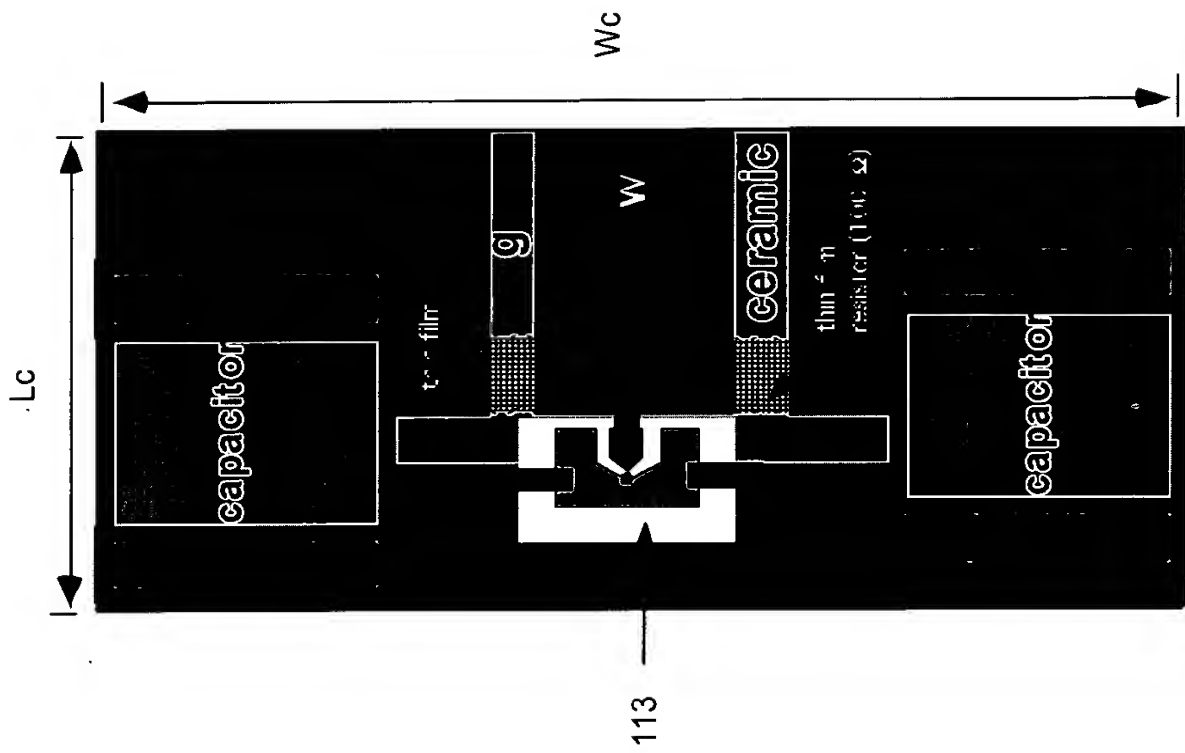


FIG. 10B

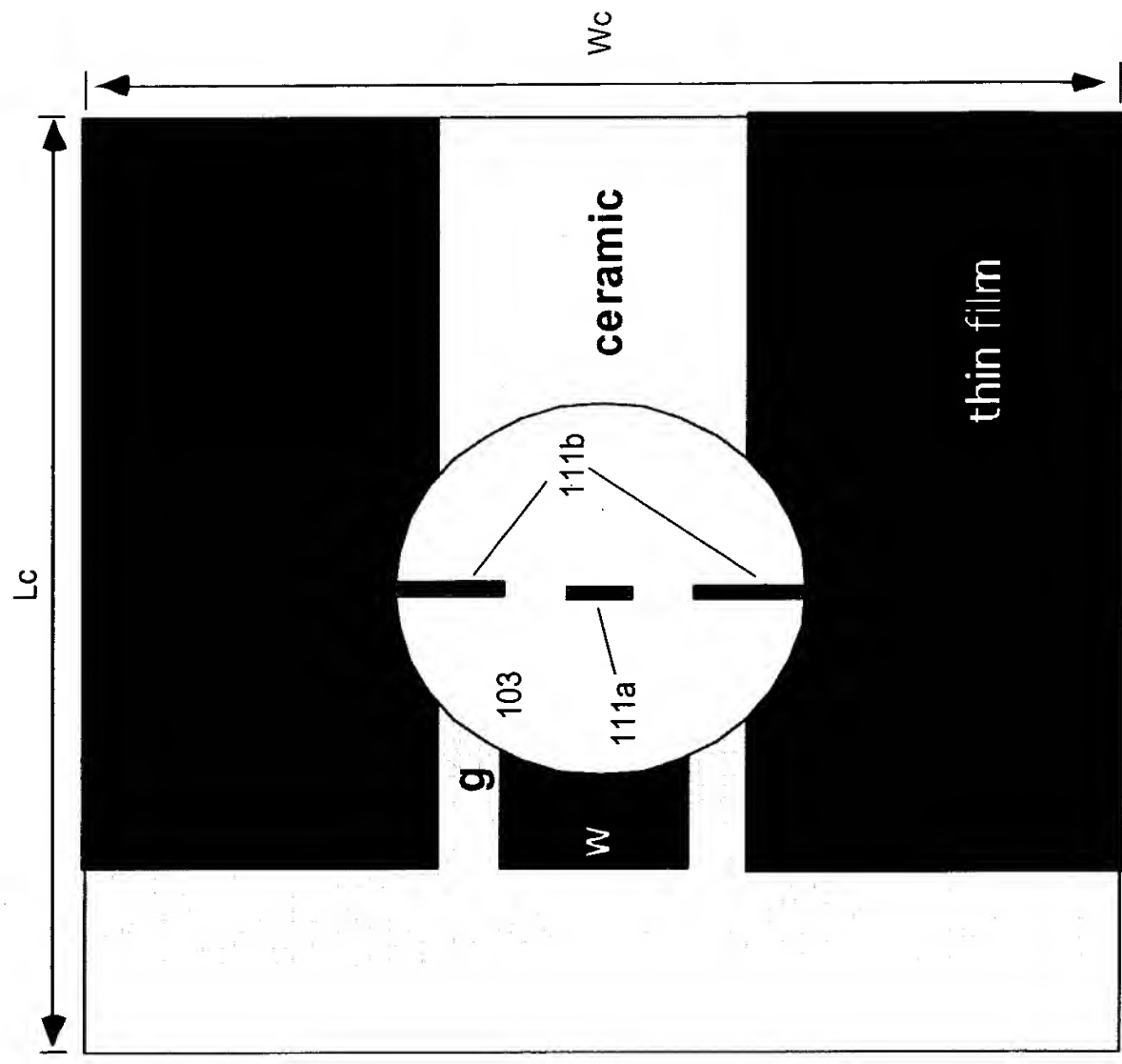
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FIG. 11



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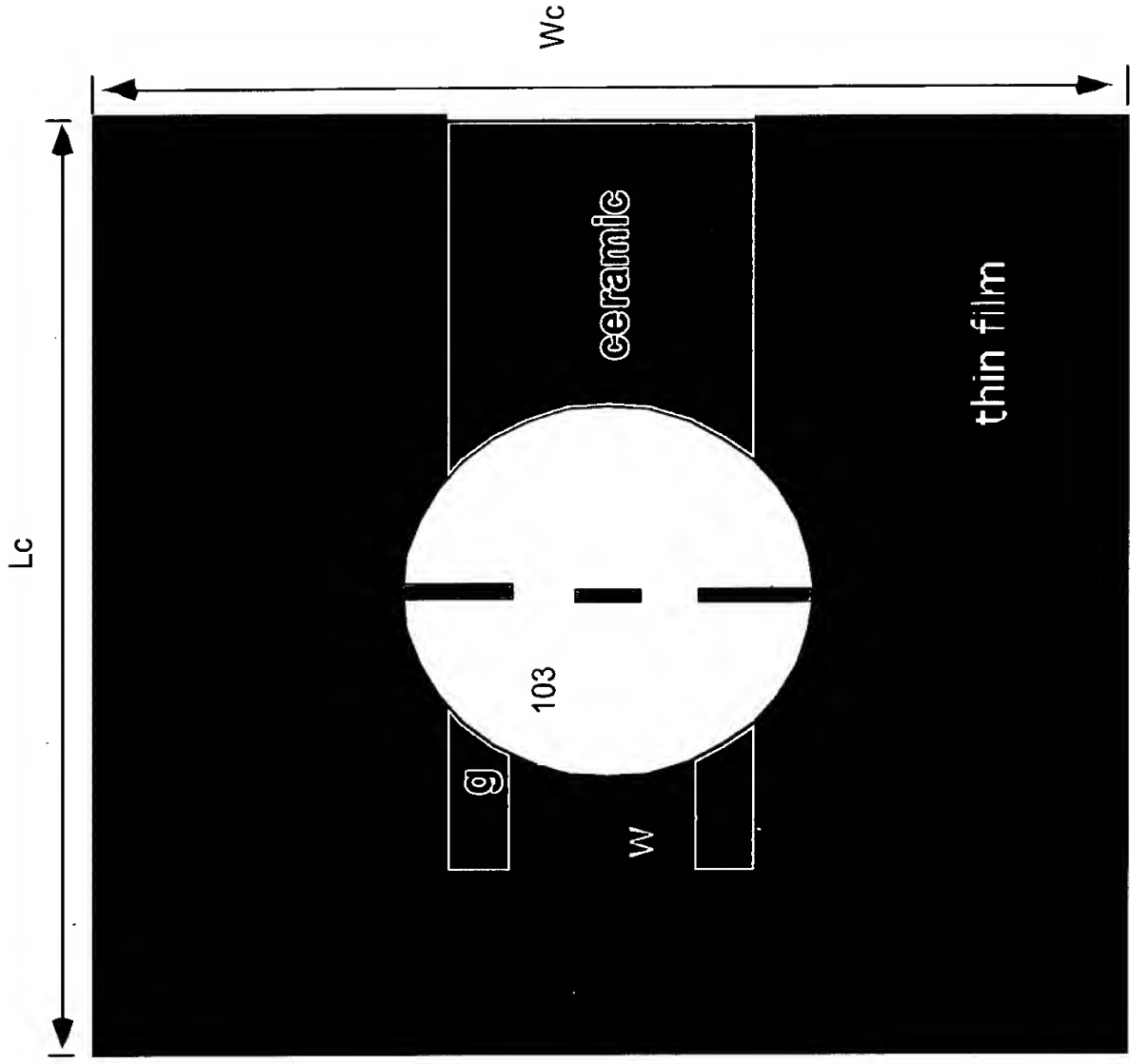
FIG. 12





Replacement Sheet

FIG. 13



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FIG. 14

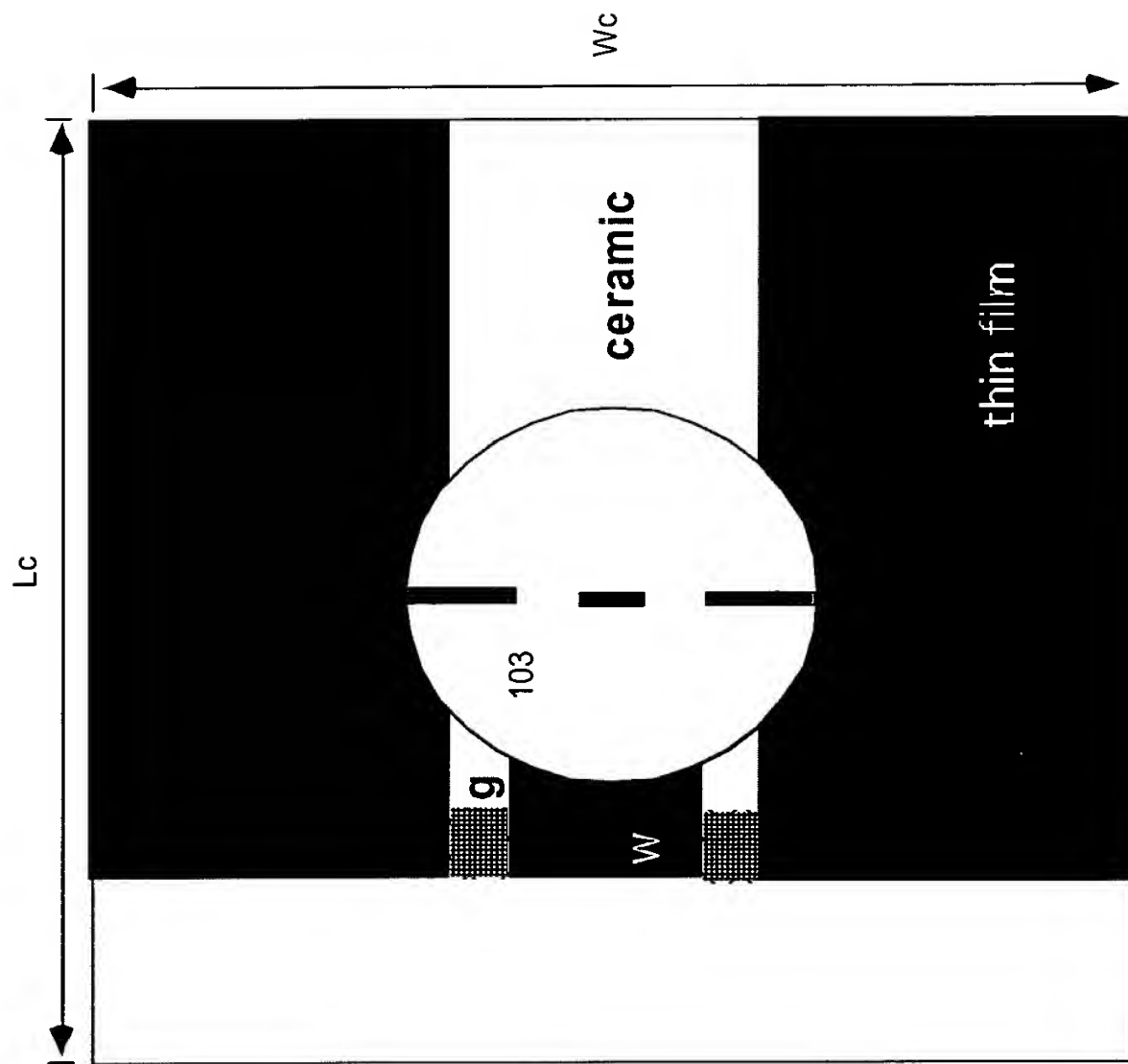


FIG. 15A

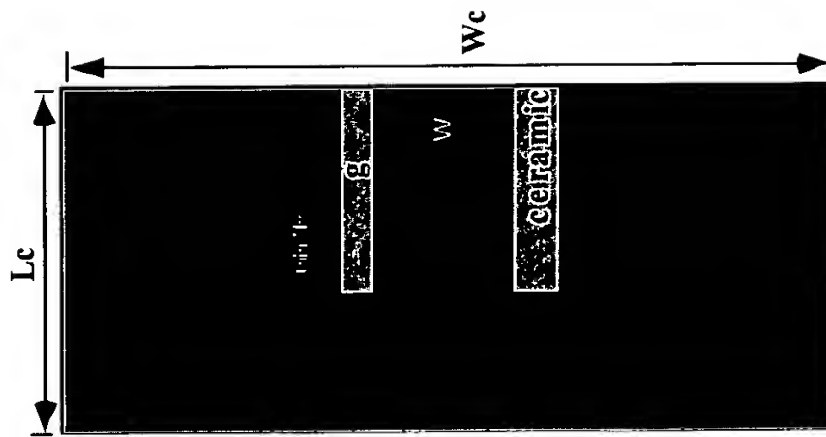


FIG. 15B

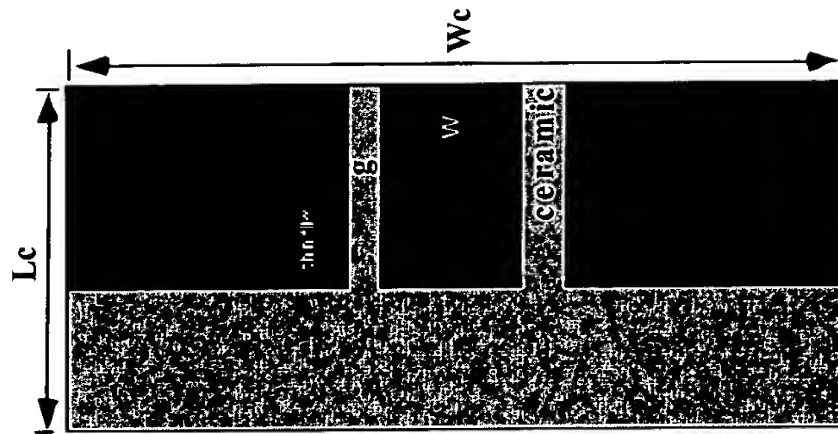


FIG. 15C

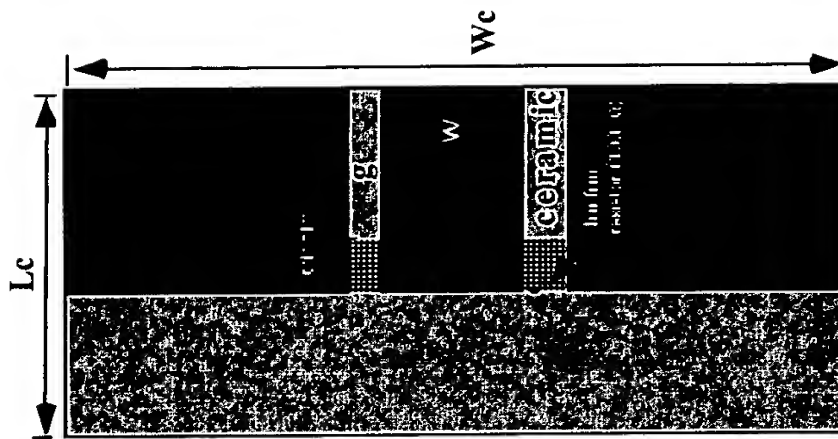


FIG. 16

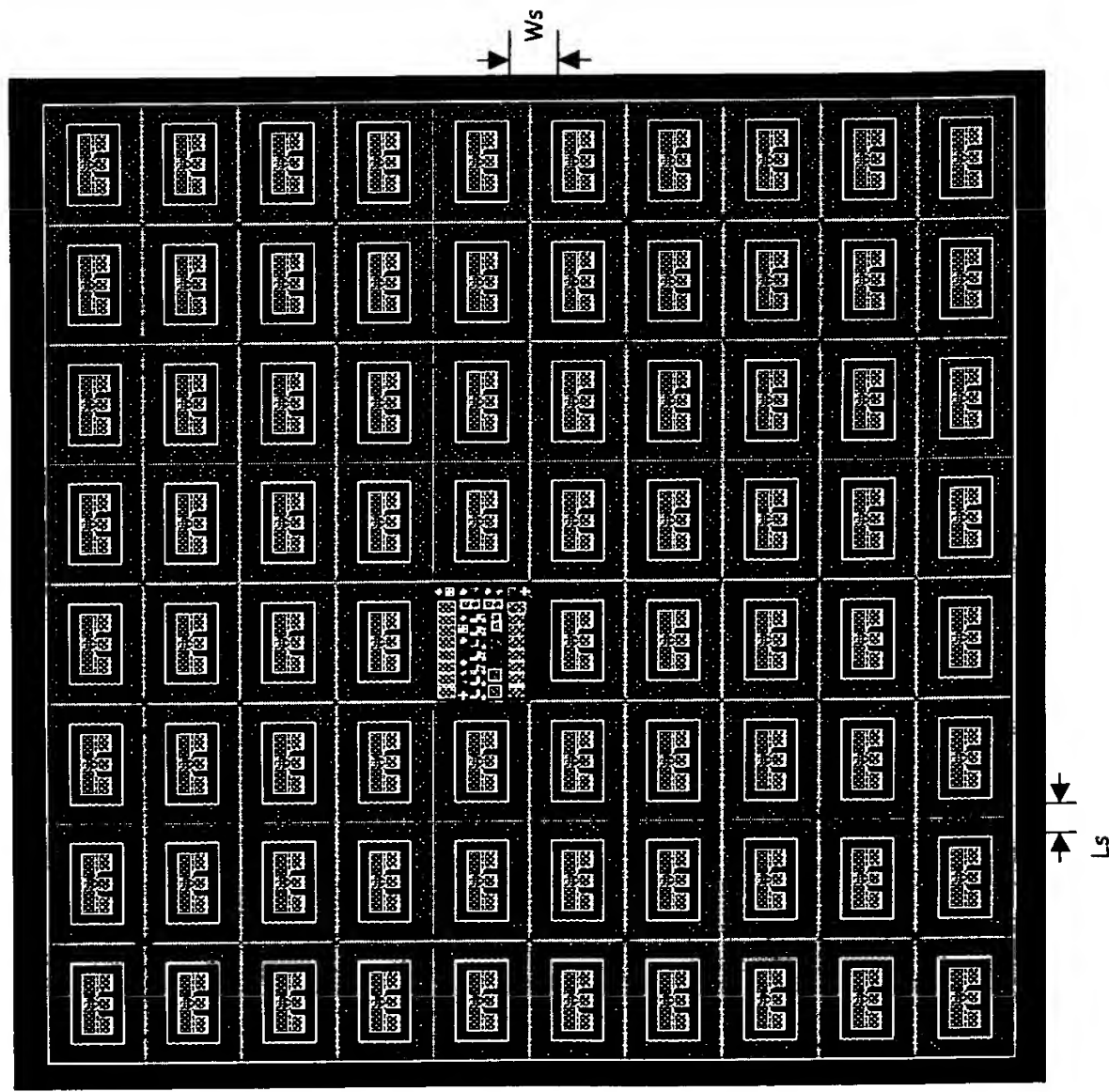


FIG. 17

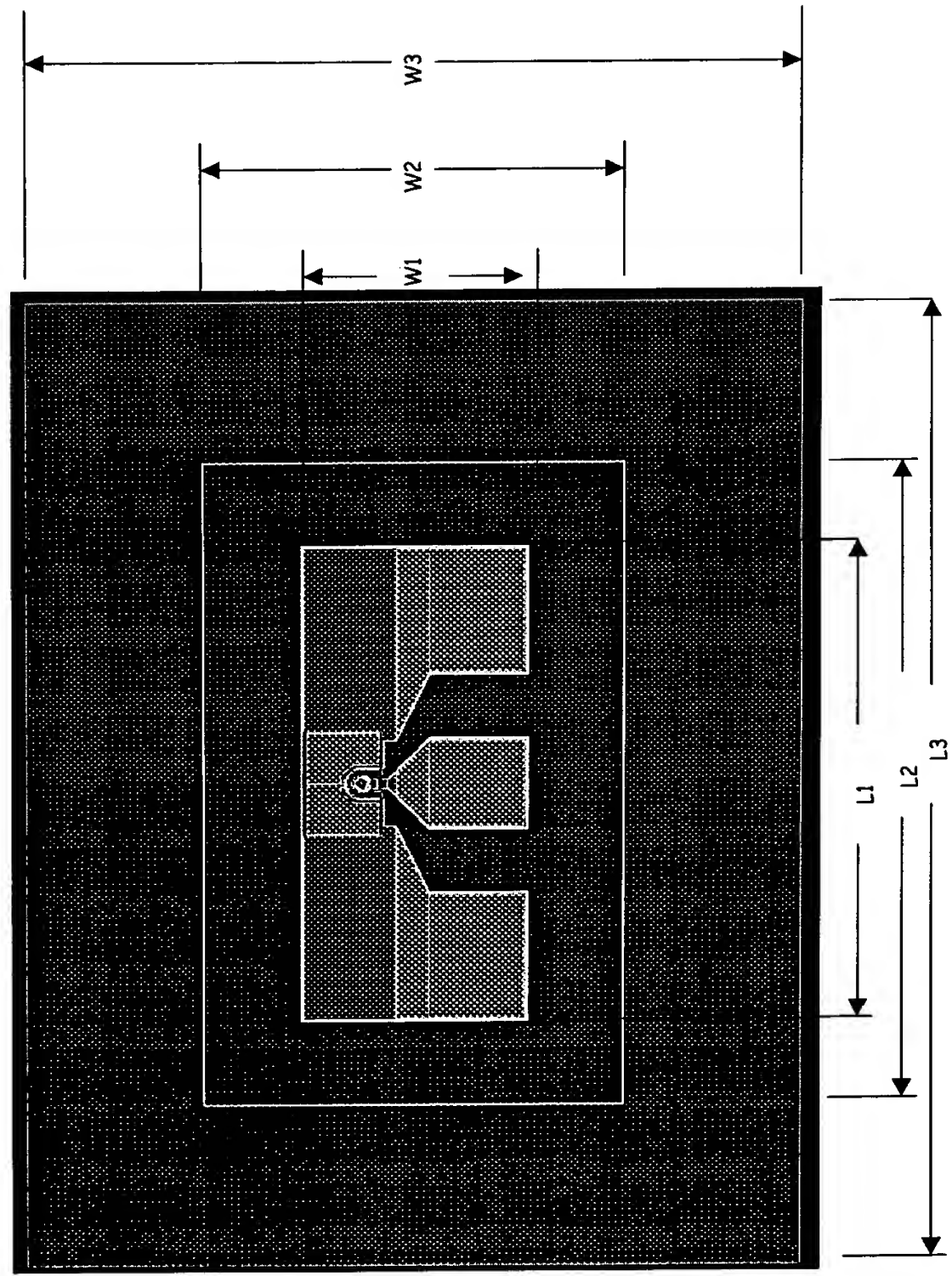


FIG. 18

